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EUBANKS NEW SECRETARY HUMPHREYS OIL CO.

Priests Lead In Objection To Organization Of Denver Klan

Near Riot Occurs As Denver Official Disperses 10,000

DENVER, June 28.—Ten thousand persons in the municipal auditorium called to organize a local branch of the Ku Klux Klan, dispersed on orders of Commissioner of Safety Means. Shortly after the meeting opened Mr. Means announced that if there were any objections to holding the meeting in the auditorium it would be called off. A near riot followed the announcement and the meeting dispersed.

Two Catholic priests in army uniforms led the objection to holding the meeting.

2 Dallas Street Cars Collide. Three Are Injured

DALLAS, Texas, June 28.—Three persons are known to have been injured, one seriously, when two street cars collided during the rush hour this morning on the causeway leading to the viaduct over Trinity river. Others are believed to have suffered minor injuries. The wreck was caused by an interurban going dead on the viaduct and a street car colliding with another which was waiting for the interurban.



A. H. EUBANKS

Mexia Banker Is Chosen For Post of Responsibility

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Humphreys Oil company held in Dallas Wednesday, A. Hardy Eubanks, acting Vice President of the Farmers State Bank of this city, was unanimously elected to the post of Secretary of the Humphreys Oil Company, made vacant by the recent resignation of William Reed of New York.

The resignation of Mr. Reed as Secretary and Assistant Treasurer had been received several days prior to the meeting in Dallas Wednesday. It was known for some time that the action was being contemplated and President Albert E. Humphreys and other directors then began to consider his successor. Mr. Eubanks is today receiving many congratulations from friends who are pleased to know that the big oil company did not have to look further than Mexia to find a man to take up the important positions of responsibility and honor left by Mr. Reed.

In speaking of the action of the board, one Mexia citizen today said, "The Humphreys Oil Company has paid Mexia and Texas a distinct compliment in the selection of the local citizen to this high honor. It is one of the greatest tributes that has ever been paid to a Texas banker, and an honor which he will well wear, as he is possessed of those sterling qualifications that truly reflect the very best in manhood connected with the great company."

Mr. Eubanks came to Mexia in May 1922, as active Vice President and Cashier of the Farmers State Bank. Prior to that, he was for more than two years connected with the

State Department of Insurance and Banking.

He is 37 years of age and for the past twelve years has passed thru a very extensive and successful banking experience and his dealings with the oil sections of the state since 1920 has acquainted him with many of the details that fit him eminently for the post to which he was elected Wednesday.

His relations with the Farmers State Bank here have been highly satisfactory as other officials and directors of the institution. Mr. Eubanks states that he has tendered his resignation as Acting Vice-President to the bank, which has been accepted, but states that he will retain his interest in the bank and his relations as a member of the Board of Directors. Several months ago J. L. Hearn was elected cashier of the bank, Mr. Eubanks then being given an opportunity to give more time to the Vice Presidency.

His successor as Acting Vice President will be announced within the next few days.

Mr. Eubanks moved with his wife and four boys to Mexia immediately following the establishment of his connections with this local financial institution, and since then he has been recognized as one of Mexia's most loyal and helpful citizens. His boys are A. H. Jr., Leon Stewart, J. W. (Billie) and the baby, Kenneth Ray. These and Mrs. Eubanks are now on a visit with her mother in Collin County, where Mr. Eubanks himself was born.

His duties with the Humphreys Oil Company will begin about the first of August.

Goose Creek Men In Jail Decide To Talk

HOUSTON, Texas, June 28.—The three Goose Creek men who were fined and incarcerated in the county jail here last week for contempt of court when they refused to answer questions of the Harris county grand jury, have decided their willingness to talk and wait to be taken before Judge C. W. Tinsman at 10 a. m. today at which time the questions will be repeated to them.

The men, J. E. Harper, Jas. Bradley, and W. E. Viles announced they were ready to answer the questions late yesterday following conference with their attorney.

The men were called as witnesses in the grand jury probe of masked flagging and mob violence in Harris county. When they refused to answer the questions pronounced to them by the jury, they were fined and sentenced to jail.

A crowd of persons estimated at 2,000 staged a demonstration in protest to the jailing of the men following their incarceration last Thursday night.

Many Citizens Pleased With July 4th Plans

The Fourth of July is to be celebrated in Mexia.

This announcement made Wednesday came as a matter of much gratification to the patriotic citizens of this city and since that time many citizens have expressed their approval of the plans.

The American Legion will meet at 8:00 o'clock and line up with the movement for a program on that occasion.

The ladies clubs of the city, likewise, are interested and working to make the day a success. They are especially relying upon the business men and citizenship the value of individual cooperation, especially in decorating their business houses and homes and automobiles in the National Colors.

The co-operation of all civic clubs is being sought to make the day notably successful.

10:00 o'clock a sing song and speaking will take place at

Songs will be printed rather urged to join in

addresses on American

author B. Bridges,

musical music will

ed by Dr. Bridg-

H. S. Jenkins,

Outlaw Strike In Chicago Ties Up Many Buildings

CHICAGO, June 28.—Construction work on a score or more of new buildings valued at millions of dollars was tied up here today by an "outlaw" strike of laborers called I. W. W. agitators.

The laborers were called off the job in some instances amid hand-to-hand fighting between strikers and police who answered riot calls. The strikers demanded \$1 an hour.

Construction work stopped included that on the \$6,000,000 municipal stadium. A meeting of the building construction employers' association has been called to consider the situation.

R. R. Labor Board Wants Power To Force Penn. Road

CHICAGO, June 28.—The United States Railroad Labor Board today called on Congress for power to compel the Pennsylvania Railroad to comply with board decisions. The request is embodied in a decision holding that the carrier, contrary to the will of Congress, is violating a board order to hold an election giving clerks and freight handlers privilege of voting for "representatives of their choice, either individuals or an organization," to negotiate wages and working conditions.

APPROPRIATION BILLS FILED WITHOUT APPROVAL

AUSTIN, Texas, June 28.—All of the general appropriation bills, none of them carrying the governor's approval, were filed with the secretary of state by Governor Neff here late yesterday. The appropriations total approximately \$35,000,000.

Emigrants And Immigrants

GOIN OUT

By LLOYD ALLEN

(United Press Staff Correspondent)
LONDON, June 28.—A great exodus of emigrants from Europe to the United States was on today.

Thousands of persons moved westward to take advantage of the new American immigration quotas, which go into effect next July.

It is one of the greatest migrations in history.

Actual figures thus far are incomplete. Steamship officials are conferring to avoid being loaded up with more passengers than can be admitted to America, and then having to fetch them home again.

The White Star liner Havreford sailed June 21, with 1,100, the Adriatic June 23, with 1,283 and Homeric June 27, with 1,030. The Belgenland sails today with 600. Many others are enroute.

COMING IN

WASHINGTON, June 28.—Three hundred and fifty seven thousand, eight hundred and three immigrants will be admitted during the fiscal

Orange Gasser On Fire, But Casualties None

ORANGE, Texas, June 28.—No casualties, but between sixty and seventy thousand dollars damage was done when Chesson well number 5 of the Kichi Development company blew in as a gasser and burst in flames which threatened to spread. Ten or twelve boilers will be used to extinguish the fire.

year starting July 1st, the Immigration Department stated. The situation will be handled satisfactorily, it was added. This number is the same as the quota for the year now ending.

Archbishop Must Face Trial For Russian Plottings

MOSCOW, June 28.—Archbishop Tikhon must face trial by the Greek Orthodox Church for his plotting against the Russian Government, Metropolitan Antonin, high prelate of the church, said today in an interview.

Tikhon, after months in jail, publicly admitted his guilt and announced he had experienced a change of heart laying blame on Czarist agents for his conspiracy against the Government. The Supreme Court thereupon recommended that he be liberated.

"The former patriarch has sincerely repented in the civil court. He must now repent in the church," said Antonin. His trial will follow, in the usual manner.

Showers Cause Mercury To Drop In Oklahoma City

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., June 27. After reaching 100 degrees, a new high mark for the season, the mercury dropped following scattered showers during the night and relief is promised for today, according to the local Weather Bureau.

New heat records for the season have been registered successively here during the last five days, according to the weather man.

Pres. Harding In Borah's State For Today

By LAWRENCE MARTIN

United Press Staff Correspondent

WITH PRESIDENT HARDING EN ROUTE TO FOCATELLO, Idaho,

June 28.—"Bill" Borah's State received President Harding today. The President was to speak at Focatello at once. The subject was not known in advance, but it was intimated that Mr. Harding probably would refer to the world court. His advocacy of that proposal is growing more vigorous daily and while his references to it in Idaho will be such as not to constitute offense to Senator Borah, they probably will be pointed, if he decides to mention the subject.

The fact is that Mr. Harding is coming close to the Borah idea of a court separated entirely from the League of Nations and outlawing war. He believes it may be possible to make a working alliance with Borah before the end of the forthcoming Senate fight on the proposal. Mr. Harding has been strongly advised, however, to confine his two speeches in Idaho today to agriculture and other domestic questions. He will speak at Idaho Falls in the afternoon.

The presidential train crossed into Idaho this morning after two days in Utah. Yesterday Mr. Harding and his party motored 150 miles to spend three hours in Zion National Park. Mr. Harding and his physician Dr. Sawyer rode up Zion Canyon on horseback.

Tom Ross Jury Not Yet Agreed

LUBBOCK, Texas, June 28.—After twenty-four hours deliberation the Tom Ross jury has reached no decision. Attorneys for Milt Goode, indicate that they may ask for a change of venue.

Dempsey-Gibbons Fight Looks Doubtful

GREAT FALLS, Mont., June 28.—The Dempsey-Gibbons July 4, fight transaction looks like a "hopeless flat tire," John O'Neil, one of the most liberal of Great Falls contributors to Dempsey's purse, declared here.

He predicted that the promotion would go down as the greatest fiasco of the kind that ever occurred. O'Neil made these statements after conferring with Dan Tracy, who yesterday resigned the directorate of the show following the conference in Shelby. Dempsey must continue perfunctory training until next Tuesday when the final installment falls due, but O'Neil admitted that there is only the remotest outside chance that the champion will ever be called upon to raise a hand against Gibbons for his \$200,000 already received and banked outside the State of Montana.

Wealthy Ranchman Killed Near Corpus

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, June 28.—The body of Gregg Gibson, 24, a wealthy rancher, was found bullet-riddled on his ranch by a former Ranger, and he is believed to be bootleggers victim.

Milt Goode Case Now Up for Trial

LUBBOCK, Texas, June 28.—With the jury still out in the Tom Ross case, court was to convene this morning for the trial of Milt Goode, who was indicted with Ross in connection with the killing of Dave Allison and H. L. Roberson, cattle inspectors, at Seminole last April.

Practically the same witnesses will be heard in the Goode trial as in Ross. The work of selecting a jury to hear Goode's case was to be undertaken today although attorneys for Goode have announced they will ask for a continuance of their client's case because of the absence of several witnesses. In the event this is refused they will request a change of venue.

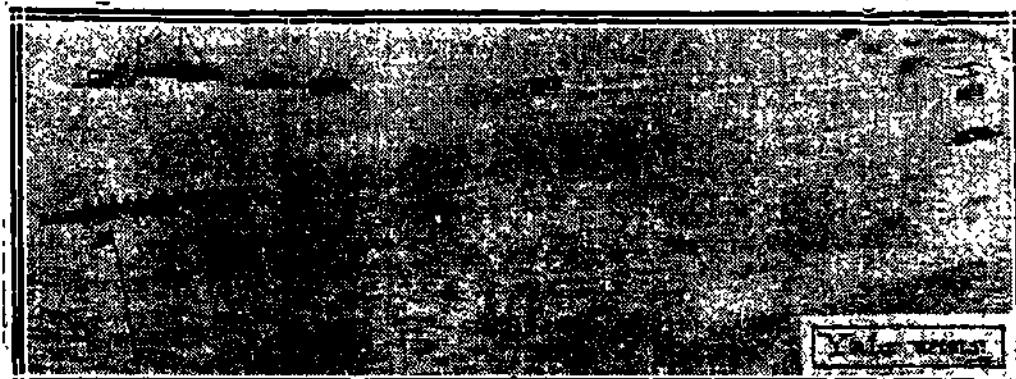
It was reported around the courtroom that the motions would be overruled.

One Killed; More Injured In Storm In S.W. Missouri

JOPLIN, Mo., June 28.—One was killed, several injured and property damage amounting to thousands of dollars caused by a high wind storm which swept Southwestern Missouri last night.

Fruit trees, telegraph and tele-

YALE CREWS SWEEP HARVARD OFF RIVER.



Yale's crews swept the Thames River clear of Harvard's crews, off New London, Connecticut, when all three of Old Eli's boats won—none by less than seven lengths. The finish of the Varsity race, the classic of the year, is shown.

Second Attempt To Fly For Four Days

SAN DIEGO, Cal., June 28.—Captain Lowell H. Smith and Lieut. John B. Richter hopped off at Rockwell field at 4:48 a. m. in a second attempt to break all air endurance records.

The army aviators intend to remain in the air four days without stopping their motor, establishing seven new records including marks for sustained flight and for speed at various distances.

The first attempt, yesterday, ended after six hours when mechanical trouble forced them down.

phone wires and small buildings were blown down. Hail did heavy damage to crops.

F. C. Smith, a farmer, was killed when a tree was blown over on him. Heavy rains, approaching cloudburst proportions, were reported throughout this section of Missouri and across the line in Kansas.

NEW YORK.—William Shaughnessy, an "honor prisoner," escaped from Great Meadows prison in an automobile. He had only three more months of a two to four year sentence to serve.

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Entered as second-class matter, February 23, 1919, at the Postoffice
at Mexia, Texas, under the act of March 3, 1879.

The editorial published in this column Wednesday headed "Farmers Should Organize," was clipped from The Denison Herald, but through one of the several ways possible for such a thing to happen, credit was not given. The Herald is one of the best edited papers that comes to our exchange table and we frequently clip from it, but always with the proper credit, except this time.

MORROW LEADS LIONS FRIDAY; LARGE CROWD EXPECTED

The Mexia Lions are looking forward to the session Friday when Lewis Morrow is to hold the gavel and preside over the occasion. He is planning one of the best programs that the Lions organization has enjoyed in several months and the past several periods have been marked by exceptionally good programs. It is his first time to lead and for that reason, he is more enthusiastic than ever in making the occasion one long to be remembered. There will be many entertaining features in addition to the addresses that will be made by Dr. Luther B. Bridgers, who has been to be a happy and appreciated after dinner speaker here this week and on the program and a promise by the evangelist and his group, in addition to his address. Every Lion is urged to be present at the session. Announcements will also be made regarding the Fourth of July program in Mexia.

The Elks' orchestra has been secured for the luncheon and Dr. R. B. Jackson has also consented to deliver the best speech that he knows on that occasion.

ACTOR MAKES LIFE FLAGGING TRAIN IN "THE GO-GETTER"

Defying death when he flagged an express train travelling at a speed of forty miles an hour, T. Roy Barnes, who plays the featured role of Bill Peck in the Paramount-Cosmopolitan production of "The Go-Getter," which comes to the National theatre Thursday, gave a distinct thrill to Director Griffith and the engine driver of the train, who were seated in the cab.

During the filming of the aeroplane-express train scenes of the picture Mr. Barnes stood between the rails. After alighting from an aeroplane Mr. Barnes soaked his coat in gasoline and lighting it, takes his place between the rails and waves the flaming garment at the train, which is speeding down upon him. The train thundered along at a distance of twenty yards and still the actor stood in its path wildly waving his blazing torch.

"Get off!" shouted Director Griffith, waving his arms frantically at Barnes, who still maintained his position. "You're a dead man in another second!"

But Barnes was too cool a hand to allow himself to be ground to pieces. Giving the express a leeway of fifteen feet, Barnes jumped to safety just as the ponderous engine swept by, cover-



Seena Owen in the Paramount Picture "The Go-Getter," A Cosmopolitan Production.

This picture shown at the National Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

HUMPHREYS FAIR STRIKES OIL SHOWING AT POWELL

Four feet of sand and an excellent oil showing have already encountered in the Humphreys Fair well at Powell, according to information secured today from Hugh Alsop of the Humphreys Oil company. It had been rumored on the street and in other offices that such was the case and that this is verified will prove a matter of much satisfaction to everyone who is looking Powellwards now.

The well is in a condition to be completed within the next few days, unless lack of pipe line facilities interfere. The well is looked upon with much favor. It is considered one of the most important wells now being drilled in Powell, as with its coming in a large new territory will be assured of development and production. The E. L. Smith Oil company's Irvine is also considered one of the most important of wells now going down. Casing has been set and the well should be completed within the next few days. It is believed that it too, will come in for gusher production and prove a notable extension in line with the trend of the field.

To Hold A S. W. Wheat Conference

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., June 23.—Charging that the American farmer the National Wheat Growers and millers at the recent Chicago meeting, was "victimized" by the decisions of John A. Whitehurst, president of the State Board of Agriculture, was making tentative plans today for a Southwestern wheat conference which will probably be held at Wichita, Kans., early in July.

"Super-optimism," was blamed by Whitehurst for the alleged misleading statistics, which, he declared have resulted in a bearish trend of the wheat market since the Chicago meeting.

"All estimates submitted to the conference there," he stated, "included Russia with an enormous amount of export wheat, which, I believe is purely mythical. Apparently there exists a plot to give wheat-hungry European opportunity to fill her bins with American wheat with starvation cost to the American producer," Whitehurst declared.

"Any consideration of 1924 wheat acreage and production at the proposed Wichita conference will be based upon statistics of the United States and other known countries," he asserted.

County association leaders in all wheat producing sections of Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Nebraska, Missouri and Colorado were queried regarding the proposed conference.

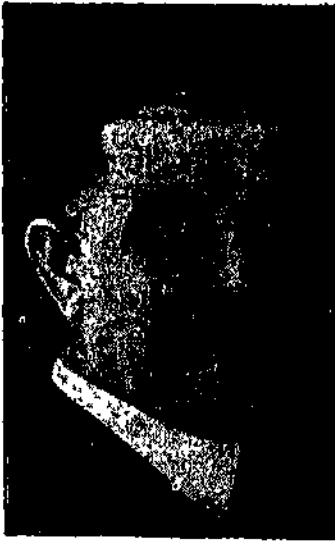
The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss means to put wheat growing back on a profitable basis to the producer, consider diversification of crops throughout the Southwest and work out a plan for orderly marketing of the Southwest's wheat crop, according to Whitehurst.

"JAWN," CLEVER DOG ACTOR

"Jawn" is a clever canine actor appearing in the Paramount picture, "The Go-Getter," produced by the Cosmopolitan Corporation, and which is showing at the National theatre today. "Jawn's" name may not be mentioned in the cast, but he is very much in evidence just the same. A view of the picture will convince you that the little fellow is without an equal when it comes to intelligence. Featured in the cast are T. Roy Barnes, Seena Owen, William Morris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim.

Mrs. J. H. Dunkin of Eunice is here on a few days visit with her niece, Mrs. Leo McDonald.

Patterson's Column



LAST WEEK my sister

WHO LIVES in Breckenridge

AND WHO'S husband is a

LAWYER BUT she can't help

THAT VISITED us and after

ASSURING HERSELF that my

MY LITTLE girl was getting

WELL BEGAN asking me if

I WENT often to church and

AS USUAL I had to tell a mild

SORT OF a lie saying yes

QUITE FREQUENTLY and she

asked

ABOUT JOE Putnam whom my

POOR OLD mother thought was

THE GREATEST preacher in the

WORLD AND my sister

BEING THE sort of a Methodist

THAT LOVES the Baptists too

BUT FEARS that with the

BAPTIST GETTING all the money

AND GRASSHOPPERS getting

ALL THE crops the Methodists

WILL HAVE to pull mighty

HARD TO get by this year

SO I promised to attend the

REVIVAL AND listen to Brother

BRIDGERS AND "JENK'S" and I

SHALL ENJOY the sermon for

BRIDGERS IS a man with a

REAL MESSAGE and he knows

HOW TO deliver it and "JENK'S"

IS A SINGER with a soul as

WELL AS a voice and the

CHANCES are that if

THEY BUY any jewelry in

MEXIA THEY will buy it from

US AS IT is a fact well

KNOWN THAT we sell the

BEST THERE is—there isn't any

BETTER.—I thank you.

—Patterson.

NEW YORK—When detectives arrested two footers in a street car the passengers started a near panic. They thought it was a hold-up.

July Is Farmers' Month at A. & M.

COLLEGE STATION, June 23.—July is Farmers' month at the A. & M. College of Texas and all the resources of the institution in personnel, building, equipment and livestock are being assembled for an extraordinary effort to implant visions of the value of scientific methods and give the greatest possible practical benefits to the toilers of the fields and those who direct the day labor on the farm.

Beginning July 2 and continuing throughout the month there will be given a course in all phases of general agriculture for the farm boys. Beginning at the same time and continuing for eight weeks will be a course in automobile and tractor for the men and boys whose attention is directed particularly at machinery. Graduate veterinarians will have access to a special course in veterinary medicine and surgery, beginning July 16 and lasting one week a combined course for country ministers and country editors will also begin on July 16 and will continue through the last week of July, merging with the Farmers' Short Course, a general course for farm men, women, boys and girls, and without a doubt the greatest single event of importance to the farm population held in the state each year. It is a climaxing week of competition, study and recreation for the rural dwellers, an appropriate and logical conclusion of their year of work in agriculture and home econ-

omies under the leadership and direction of the A. & M. Extension agents. It will open Monday morning June 23, and will close Saturday night July 23.

SEPARATED FOR YEARS

Two popular screen players who have not met since they appeared in Kalem pictures in 1911, are members of the cast of the Paramount-Cosmopolitan production of "The Go-Getter," which will be shown at the National theatre today. Frederick Santley, who has been featured in many of Broadway's biggest successes, and William J. Sorrell, one of the first leading men in pictures, are the two players in question.

Santley has not appeared before the camera since 1911, confining his work since then to the musical stage, and Sorrell has not been seen on the screen in four years, his last screen appearance having been with Marguerite Clarke in "The Go-Getter." Santley plays the role of an aviator, and Sorrell appears as a doctor. T. Roy Barnes and Seena Owen are featured in the cast which includes also William Morris, Tom Lewis, Louis Wolheim, John Carr and Frank Currier. The picture was directed by E. H. Griffith.

Mrs. J. H. Redden and daughter, Miss Ellene are leaving today for New York City, for a two months visit with her son, Horace Davis. Much of the time will be spent in a cottage reservation held in the state each year. It is a climaxing week of competition, study and recreation for the rural dwellers, an appropriate and logical conclusion of their year of work in agriculture and home econ-

County Attorney Scott Reed was up from Groesbeck today on official business.

Miss Alice Hankins of Corsicana, who has been visiting Miss Annie Log Kerner for several days, returned to her home Tuesday.



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RAIN IS RELIEF TO KANSAS AND SURROUNDING DISTRICT

KANSAS CITY, June 28.—Rain brought relief yesterday from the heat which has caused Kansas City and vicinity to swelter for ten days. Cool breezes swept the city.

Desperado Wanted In Cleveland For Murder of Officer

DETROIT, Mich., June 28.—John D. Whitfield, desperado wanted in Cleveland for the cold blooded murder of policeman Dennis Griffin, was held here pending advice from Cleveland police officials.

Whitfield was captured last night by a squad of detectives armed with riot guns. The capture ended a six weeks' search through the middle west.

Man Lies Near Death Because Of Blood Need

FOR WORTH, Texas, June 27.—Mark Preddy, 69, of Mineral Wells lies at the point of death at a hospital here because no one can be found with the right weight of blood to save his life by transfusion.

More than fifty persons have volunteered to give blood to Preddy but none of them have the right blood weight, hospital attendants said.

Tyler Suffers Big Fire Loss Thursday Night

TYLER, Texas, June 27.—Fire swept several buildings in the business district here last night caused damage estimated between \$60,000 and \$70,000. The fire was believed to have started in a restaurant.

All refrigerators and ice boxes on sale this week at wholesale cost. Delishide Hardware Co., 818 East Commerce street. Masonic building. 2542



T. Roy Barnes
in the Paramount Picture
"The Go-Getter"

This picture shown at the National Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Hotel Manager Postmaster At Ft. Worth Now

FORT WORTH, Texas, June 27.—Billy Moore, manager of the Metropolitan hotel here for 25 years, received a telegram, Tuesday from the third assistant postmaster general, notifying him of his appointment as acting postmaster here. The appointment will be permanent, his friends predict.

"THE GO-GETTER" COMING

The Paramount Cosmopolitan production, "The Go-Getter," will be the feature on the bill at the National theatre Thursday. The story, written by Peter B. Kyne, is a fast moving comedy-drama, in which T. Roy Barnes, Seena Owen, William Norris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim are the featured players. The supporting cast is strong. E. H. Griffith, who supervises the screening of many of Peter Kyne's stories, directed.

BOLL WEEVIL DESTROYER

UVALDE, Texas June 28.—Cotton growers of Frio county are ridding their fields of cotton boll weevil at a cost of about 18 cents per acre, according to J. W. Evans, prominent farmer of Pearson, Frio county. The remedy used consists of cheap molasses and arsenic. One man can cover five acres a day, swabbing the cotton plants with the sweetened poison.

Miss Ruth Kahn of Gloucester, Miss. is visiting her sister Mrs. Emile Nagebaum.

Negro Is Found Guilty of Murder By A Dallas Jury

DALLAS, Texas, June 27.—Ernest Lawton, negro, was found guilty of the murder of J. R. Crain, night watchman, by a jury here late Tuesday and penalty was fixed at death. The verdict was returned in 40 minutes after the case went to the jury.

There was no demonstration by the large crowd which packed the courtroom when the verdict was read.

Crain was shot to death here May 24. The chief testimony of the state was a purported confession by the negro that he shot Crain as the latter was standing in front of a drug store while Crain and another negro were inside the store.

SPORTLIGHTS

By W. R.

The Indians played a jam-up game and hit in the pinches and with Red Hill in the box won 3 to 0.

In the ninth Northern hit one that looked like that it was due for a round trip but it fell into the hands of Jamar who backed up against the fence.

As I said before we can't see why Austin took three straights from the

Everyone needs a Face Bleach

You will look
the shades lighter
with positively no
skin irritation
when you searve a

MARINELLO
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cream used daily will
complete the rejuvenat-
ing process

Wares Marinello
Beauty Shop

PHONE 407

Box up at Sorville and hammer the pitchers all over the lot and then to come home and let the same pitchers walk all over them and defeat them three straight games.

I don't see why they all wanted to see Sherman get the rag unless it was because the Gushers had been leading all the season and wanted to see them below the coveted 600 mark.

Only a few years ago a few players were banished from baseball. Wagoner and a few other stars, so everybody had better be careful.

We have 70 more games to play and we ought to be able to show the gang same STRAIGHT BASEBALL. We can play clean and we don't want a thing given to us.

HIGH SALARIED BALL PLAYER

DALLAS, Texas June 28.—The highest paid player in the Texas League, according to Pat Monahan, Pittsburgh scout who was here recently, is Harold Carlson, Wichita Falls pitcher. Carlson receives \$1,000 a month of which amount Pittsburgh pays a certain percent.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS

Undelivered telegrams up to June 27, 1928.

Brown, Pearl
Barkley, E. C.
Evans, G. C.
Fitzwater, William
Gates, Mrs. I. K.
Gould, O. L.
Hemington, B.
Harper, Jim
McGorry, Tom
Peoples, E. M. Jr.
Porter, Jack
Strawn, Mrs. W. D.
Thompson, Mr.
Thompson, C. C.
West, E. M.
Walker, Marshall
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Scene Owen
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This picture shown at the National Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Letters from People

AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

The proposed amendment to be voted on in July giving the state highway commission full control of the State highways, bids fair to be one of the most expensive institutions of the state.

It is an amendment to section 9 of article 8 of the Texas constitution. Section 9 of article 8 reads thus: The state tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, shall never exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollar valuation, etc.

This Amendment known as section 9 proposes to collect a road tax in addition to this fifty cents on one hundred dollar valuation of property and how much above it does not say. There is no limit expressed or implied.

This section 9a states that the Legislature is empowered to levy and cause to be collected specific, excise and ad valorem taxes. This tax shall be used for building improved highways in Texas. This specific tax is such as we now have on the automobiles. As it is now, I believe, the counties get half the automobile taxes collected; but if this amendment carries it will all go to the state to be used probably at El Paso or at any other place in the state that the Highway commission may desire. The commissioners cannot all have nothing to do with the Ex-act highway or any other state road. If a bridge needs repairing we cannot repair it; but must wait for a high-salaried inspector to come from Austin to look over it, which will cost as much as the repairing job itself.

There is part of the second para-

graph under section 9a left out of the publications now being distributed over the state. The part left out of the original resolution is as follows:

That the Legislature may when authorized so to do, by a majority vote of the people of the state, issue bonds based upon an ad valorem tax, upon such other revenues or taxable resources that may be provided for and stipulated in the act. That the rate of interest for such bonds or indebtedness shall be stipulated and provided for in the act or ordinance authorizing said issue, pledging thereto the full faith and credit of the state of Texas; other provisions of the constitution to the contrary notwithstanding.

I have fully determined for myself that I will not vote for an amendment to the constitution that is not easily understood. I will confess that I do not understand this part of section 9a.

It starts out by saying that the Legislature may issue bonds if the majority of the people vote for the bonds. Then it says that the rate of interest for such bonds or (indebtedness) etc. This word (indebtedness) leaves the impression that if the people do not vote for the bonds that the Legislature can borrow money on the states credit. Especially as when it says "other provisions of the constitution notwithstanding." This last phrase probably has reference to section 50 of article 3 which says that the Legislature shall have no power to pledge the credit of the state in any manner whatsoever for the payment of liabilities present or prospective.

Then there is another proposition in this amendment that I do not like, and that is the idea of the state paying money back to counties that have already built highways. Let us consider the payment of Dallas county for the roads she has built. The people of Dallas probably have spent millions of dollars on the state roads running through Dallas county. These roads are for the benefit of the people of Dallas county more so than for any body else. They had pride enough to want the roads and money enough to build them. They are not asking the state to repay them, but if this amendment carries the state will really owe Dallas county for these roads, and it will be left up to the highway commission and the Legislature to make provisions for payment.

Local self government is the best government. I do not like the idea of centralizing all the power at Austin. Our county commissioners will look after our highways much better than any commissioner at Austin will, besides our taxes are mounting upward.

year after year, and now the authorities are seeking to amend the constitution so that the road tax can be raised to an excessive rate. There will be no constitutional limit.

Our constitution was written when people were more patriotic than they are now, and as long as greed and graft and self interest abounds in Texas as it is to-day the common people had better be careful about voting a change in our constitution.

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ACTOR RISKS LIFE FLAGGING TRAIN IN "THE GO-GETTER"

Defying death when he flagged an express train traveling at a speed of forty miles an hour, T. Roy Barnes, who plays the featured role of Bill Peck in the Paramount-Cosmopolitan production of "The Go-Getter," which comes to the National theatre Thursday, gave a distinct thrill to Director Griffith and the engine driver of the train, who were seated in the cab.

During the filming of the aeroplane express train scenes of the picture Mr. Barnes stood between the rails. After alighting from an aeroplane Mr. Barnes took his coat in gasoline and lighting it, takes his place between the rails and waves the flaming garment at the train, which is speeding down upon him. The train thundered along at a distance of twenty yards and still the actor stood in its path wildly waving his blazing torch.

"Get off!" shouted Director Griffith, waving his arm frantically at Barnes, who still maintained his position. "You're a dead man in another second!"

But Barnes was too cool a hand to allow himself to be ground to pieces. Giving the express a leeway of fifteen feet, Barnes jumped to safety just as the ponderous engine swept by, covering him with dust. The emergency brake had been set by the engine driver and the train came to a halt within fifty yards. The director remonstrated with Barnes for his daring, but the actor merely laughed at the incident.

Scene Owen is featured with Mr. Barnes in this thrilling photoplay, as are also William Morris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim.

Albert Berry Jr., attended the Casparie-Jackson nuptials in Corsicana Tuesday night.

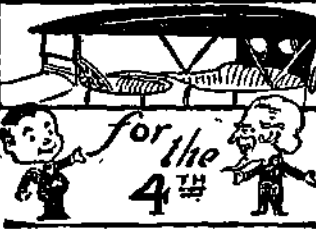
Miss Alice Hankins of Corsicana, who has been visiting Miss Annie Lou Karner for several days, returned to her home Tuesday.

THIRD PARTY IS EXPECTED TO BACK FORD IN RACE

DETROIT, Mich., June 28.—A third national political party with the aim of electing Henry Ford President in 1924, will be formed here in the near future. At a convention of a "Ford for President" club, Rev. Dr. William Dawe, president of the Dearborn Club, said today.

Date for the convention has not been decided, Dr. Dawe said, but the convention will be far enough off to allow Ford for President clubs all over the country to send delegates. The Dearborn Club is distributing "Ford for President" literature at the expense of the members of the club, according to Dr. Dawe.

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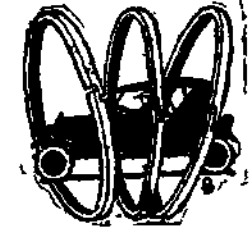
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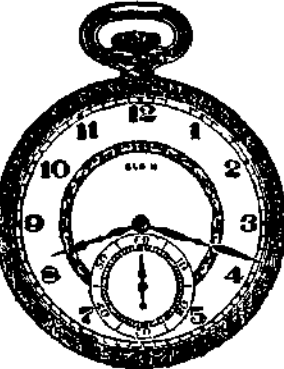
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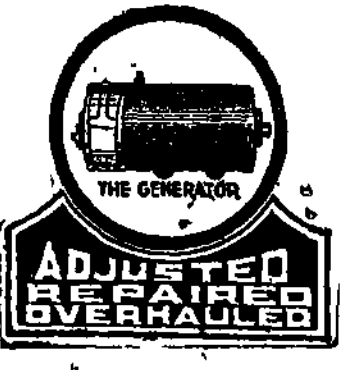
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Baseball

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There is something about the last nine or ten games that I'm a little leery of, in fact I can't quite savvy but not all in the same manner and where, but the question is, "where." The Austin Rangers cleaned up the Shorman Sox when on their road trip, knocking Muns, Richburg and Lind all over the lot, winning all three games with apparent ease, and then the Sox go to Austin and make things just reverse of the preceding series and it seemed to the public that Rankin had given his charges a little rest diet and they were just in there and that was all. Things look a little spooky when the Sox took three out of four from the Busters and that one was the last of a double header and it would not look right for Corsicana to let the Sox "take" all four so they kinda hit the old apple for a measly seven innings.

It is not so much that we are fussing about losing the pennant, as it is about losing it fairly and squarely. We played clean fair ball and we lost it in a sportsmanlike manner but we were having to fight teams with lots of "dinero" perhaps? And we can't do that and do it fair, and there is not another team that can either.

But sit tight fans, and we will come around this last half and show the gang some ball playing. We have

seventy more games and we have as good a chance as any other club in the circuit.

It was a hard fought battle over at Waco yesterday and it was a heart-breaking game to loose. Both Red and Carl Hill pitched good ball and it was not a bad game at all. There were about two hundred and fifty Wacoans and about fifty or more Mexiaties over and they all yelled themselves hoarse.

Carl Hill who worked Monday was called on by Hub to work and he turned in a good game with the exception of the seventh when two errors, a double, and a single scored three runs. All the rest of the game it was nip and tuck with things about even. Red Hill did not miss a not hit game by a very wide margin for the three hits that they got off of him were only of the scratch variety and two of them should have been fielded easy by the Waco infielder but they just couldn't deliver the goods at the proper time. Pennant Hopes Gone.

Ferguson in the box for the locals.

MEXIA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Geppert, ss	3	0	0	0	4	1
Northern, 1b	4	0	1	17	0	0
Leedy, 2b	3	0	1	1	4	0
Butler, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Johnson, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Tiner, rf	4	0	0	1	0	1
oScholt, cf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Whitney, c	3	0	0	2	1	1
Carl Hill, p	3	0	0	0	6	0
xxRoyster	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxMcLain	0	0	0	0	0	0

Total 32 0 3 24 17 3
x-Batted for Leedy in ninth.
xx-Ran for Royster in ninth.

WACO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Comstock, lf	4	0	1	1	0	1
Waller, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Jamar, rf	2	0	0	4	0	1
Shires, 1b	2	1	1	10	0	0
Barrett, cf	3	1	1	0	1	0
Lewis, ss	3	1	1	2	8	0
Untz, 2b	3	0	1	3	1	0

Schroyer, c 3 0 0 0 0 0
Red Hill, p 3 0 0 1 1 1

Total 26 3 6 27 11 3

Scores by Innings: 000 000 000-0

Waco 000 000 302-3

Two-base hits: Comstock, Bechtol, Barrett.

Left on bases: Mexia 4;

Waco 3. Bases on balls: Red Hill 1;

Carl Hill 1. Struck out: Carl Hill 2;

Red Hill 3. Double play: Jamar to

Shires. Earned runs: Waco 2. Sacrifice hits: Jamar, Shires. Time of

game: 1:20. Umpires: West and Bonner.

Miss Pauline Wright entertained

a party of young folks at her home

on Hunt Street Monday night. Re-

freshments of ice cream and cake

were served to the following guests:

Mark Costler, Jordan Parsley, Jesse

Lawrence, Odus Opre, R. B. Ward,

Reta Cox, Christine Parker of Cor-

sicana, Ruby Miller, Tassie Stewart,

Willie Mae Stewart, Lola Cockrum,

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Thoroughbred Ford Stripped of Extras Held By Officers

Wednesday night while driving along the Shiloh road officers Wright and Marvin Wooton ran afoul of two men driving a Ford car without lights, and hailed the driver, who speeded up a little, but the officers overtook him just after he had thrown something out of the car. This proved to be a pint of whiskey which the officers found in the weeds near by.

When nearing town the driver of the car asked to get out and see a friend living near by, which request was

granted, but the man on emerging from the friend's house, came out running and made his get away.

The car was brought into town and was parked in front of the City hall this morning awaiting the owner. It is a Ford chassis with a rough box seat and rear light truck attachment, no hood or lights, but with two different numbers, a 370 series on the front and a 400 series on the rear, and it is this difference in numbers that caused Constable Thompson to hold the car.

SEPARATED FOR YEARS

Two popular screen players who have not met since they appeared in Kalem pictures in 1911, are members of the cast of the Paramount-Cosmopolitan production of "The Go-Getter,"

which will be shown at the National theatre today. Frederick Santley, who has been featured in many of Broadway's biggest successes, and William J. Sorrell, one of the first leading men in pictures, are the two players in question.

Santley has not appeared before the camera since 1911, confining his work since then to the musical stage, and Sorrell has not been seen on the screen in four years, his last screen appearance having been with Marguerite Clarke. In "The Go-Getter," Santley plays the role of an aviator, and Sorrell appears as a doctor. T. Roy Barnes and Seena Owen are featured in the cast which includes also William Morris, Tom Lewis, Louis Wolheim, John Carr and Frank Currier. The picture was directed by E. H. Griffith.

Children Watch The Little Birdie

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, June 28.—When C. D. McCaig local photographer says, "now watch the little birdie," frightened infants do not fool in vain.

McCaig has added another duty to those of his demure black bantam hen which has graced his table with some 200 eating eggs during the past year.

The fowl has been trained to do stunts in his studio and when he snaps his fingers and says "watch the little birdie" the bantam flies to his shoulder, and perches there. "It works" he says.

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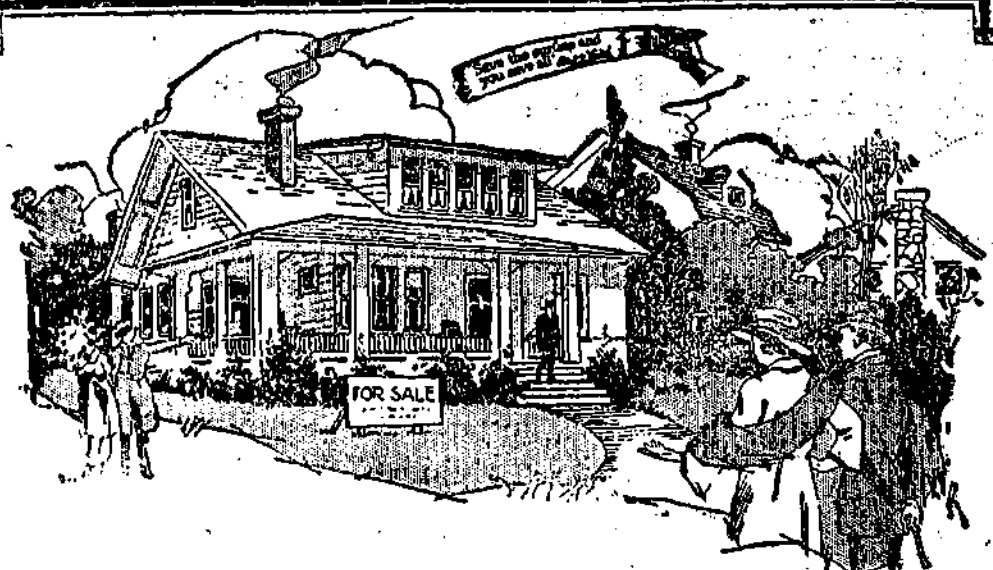
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Mexia Twenty Years Ago

Compiled By N. P. Houx
From Files of Mexia Evening News,
Of June 27, 1903.

Miss Julia Wolverton has returned from a visit in Corsicana.

Mrs. J. Desenberg is in Lawton, Mich., for the summer.

Miss Mattie B. Watson is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. David, in Corsicana.

M. L. McDonald has a patch of corn in his garden that will average twelve feet in height and some of the stalks have as many as six ears of corn. How is that for corn?

Chas. Wolverton came over from Mart Saturday and spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. E. M. Johnson of Young, Freestone county, is in the city visiting the family of her brother, Hugh Everett.

A negro was arrested and put in jail Saturday charged with having killed a horse by riding him to death on emancipation day. The horse belonged to Wallace Gibbs, who placed him under treatment with Dr. Snodgrass, and the doctor brought the animal through all right.

Click Jackson held his own at the big Shreveport shoot by coming out ahead.

EDITORIAL—According to an exchange, the man who went out to milk and sat down on a boulder in the middle of the pasture and waited for the cow to back up, was a brother to the man who kept a store and wouldn't advertise because he reasoned that the purchasing public would back up to his place and business when it wanted something.

Jack Adamson was in from his home at Cotton Gin Monday and says they had quite a blow out there Sunday afternoon, that blew his buggy house away, razed some fences, and did other damage at different places. A heavy rain fell during the afternoon and night.

Mr. John King of Shanks brought in a tomato that weighs 17½ ounces, and he says he has many more as large. He calls it the Red Field Beauty.

OBSERVATION PARTY
The party was Kennedy entertained Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. S. J. King who left Thursday for her home in North Carolina.

The invitations read like this:
"We'd be glad to have you come and spend the afternoon with us at home. Your R. S. V. P. please send in rhyme; and that is all, but come."

In compliance with this request answers were received that displayed much talent in rhyme and wit.

Mrs. Steadman received first prize, a lace handkerchief.
Mrs. Fred S. Kerner received the

booby prize, a copy of Mother Goose Rhymes.

The afternoon was concluded with light refreshments and music.

Among the guests from a distance were:

Mrs. Geanie Steadman, Caroline, N. C.

Miss Zent, Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Siddall, Texarkana.

Miss Clara Crawford, Houston.

Mrs. D. A. Cook, Houston.

Masons Install New Officers

Springfield Lodge No. 74, A. F. and A. M. had a good attendance at the meeting Wednesday night, the business being the installation of the new officers elected last Saturday night.

Past Master Guy Herring acted as installing officer and inducted into office the following to serve during the coming Masonic year:

Colon Phillips, W. M.

T. O. Meador, S. W.

Rodney Tidwell, J. W.

Julius Nussbaum, Treasurer.

J. Frank Cogdell, Secretary.

H. G. Pierce, S. D.

Rod Fielder, J. D.

A. M. Stevens, S. S.

Geo. M. Tidwell, J. S.

T. A. Griffith, Tiler.

At the close of the installation ceremony several talks were made, the chief among them being one by Frank C. Bolton, in presenting to the lodge a fac-simile of the signers of the Declaration of Independence who were Master Masons. The document is framed and will make quite an addition to the decorations now on the walls of the lodge room.

Out of the fifty-six who signed the Declaration of Independence, fifty-three were Masons, one of them John Hart, being an ancestor of Mr. H. G. Pierce, the new senior deacon of Springfield Lodge. Mr. Bolton made an appropriate speech in presenting the document to the lodge, reviewing the activities and influence of Masonry in the establishment of this government, and the talk was liberally applauded by those present.

After the ceremonies were finished, refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake, and cigars were served, making the meeting one long to be remembered by the members and visitors present.

Chicken House Burned Wednesday

About 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon the fire boys answered a call that took them to L. T. Knox's home on East Sumpter street, where a chicken house was burning. It was nearly gone when the fire fighters arrived, but no other damage was done.

J. W. Hornbeck 50 Years A Preacher

CORSICANA, Texas June 23.—Fifty years ago, the Rev. J. W. Hornbeck, then a youth of 21, proudly preached his first sermon.

Recently the Reverend Hornbeck, after two years absence from the pulpit, delivered a sermon at the Cumberland Presbyterian church here. He took the same text he used in his first sermon—"By the Grace of God, I am What I am."

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To further recall old times, Reverend Hornbeck "lined" several old hymns, a general custom in former days, reading two lines and letting the congregation sing without any musical accompaniment.

Dead Grasshoppers Are Damaging Crop

CISCO, Texas June 23.—Roads between Cisco and Moran have been strewn with dead grasshoppers that have been doing extensive damage to crops in this section.

Countless numbers of the insects have swarmed over cotton fields and

in some cases, almost destroyed the crops.

The grasshoppers congregate in large numbers in the roads, only to be crushed beneath the wheels of automobiles.

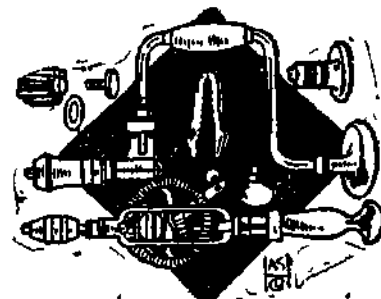
The survivors immediately gather around their less fortunate companions and devour the bodies, according to motorists.

Farmers are using poison in an effort to check the ravages of the insects.

The street pavers are pushing north on McKinney street with the topping and will soon have that street open all the way from the stand pipe to the ball park. The curbing force is now working on North Kaufman.

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Man Cannot Serve God And Mammon Warning of Strong Message Given By Evangelist At Revival Now On

One of the largest crowds that has yet assembled at the revival in progress at the First Methodist church was that of last night.

The song service was an inspiration to lovers of music and to those who feel the power of God in the great gospel messages brought in song.

The pastor, Rev. W. B. Andrews, expressed his appreciation to the members of other churches for their attendance and cooperation in the meeting. He said that he wanted every Christian in Mexia and community to realize that all are welcome and cordially invited to feel perfectly at home in the revival and at the church at all times.

Dr. Luther B. Bridgers concurred in what the pastor had said and added, "Tell your friends to come and we will assure them of a warm welcome."

A message in song was then brought by Dr. Bridgers and Mr. Jenkins. These men can both sing with the congregation, in solo or duet, but it does seem that their duets are rare treats and filled with the riches of great messages to the souls of those who hear them.

Dr. Bridgers stated that it had been announced in The News that he would preach last night on "The Fruits of Revival Repentance" but that he felt that he was called upon to change his subject and discuss another subject, waiting until Thursday night to preach on that subject.

He said that he wanted to talk to the congregation about Right and Wrong. There are people in the church who are not Christians. They are living under the protection of the church and living as sinners in the sight of God. At the great judgment bar, one of the works that will be done will be to weed out the sheep from the goats and to separate the sinning church members from the real Christians. You are the servant of your affections. If you love God, you will be Godlike in holiness. If you love sin, you will be sinful.

Luke 16-17 was read as the text for the evening.

"No servant can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon."

Reputation is what people think you are and character is what God knows you to be, the evangelist stated in the beginning of his discourse. You cannot uncover a sincere heart to its embarrassment. It wants to know its weakness and shortcomings. The story of the rich man and Lazarus was referred to, given in the same chapter with the text, the speaker asserting that the two extreme characters were given to stress the difference between Right and Wrong, to show the relationship of man to God.

Divesa was placed on the highest classification possible from the standpoint of the world. He was a rich,

young ruler. He had everything that was necessary to enable him to live a life of luxury and ease. He was unwilling to pay the price, however, for a home in Heaven, which price was above that of rubies and riches. Self righteousness cannot appease the anger of a Just God. You cannot buy salvation with money alone. You can't lock arms with the flesh and the devil and be a blessing to God and please both at the same time.

There was a time when the devil was as a roaring lion, going up and down the country, seeking whom he might devour. He is not so openly defiant today, however. He now appears as an angel of light seeking to mislead those whom he would have follow him. He appeals to their intelligence today. He even urges a high moral standard.

Mrs. Zeno King and daughter motored to Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. H. Stevens and Mr. Fred Reeves who are on their way to Tennessee.

HARRIS AND JACOBS HAVE VISITOR LAST NIGHT AT STORE HERE

Beating an entrance into Harris & Jacobs' general furnishing establishment through a door leading into it from the rear, an unknown party last night burglarized the place of three suits of clothes, a couple of dozen shirts, two hats, and two caps and possibly some other articles. Entrance was effected through the door to a toilet which also served the barbershop opening on Womack Lane. From the barber shop a hand bag was also taken. Officers are today working on the case.

Miss Alice Hankins of Corsicana, who has been visiting Miss Annie Lou Karner for several days, returned to her home Tuesday.

County Attorney Scott Reed was up from Groesbeck today on official business.

Plump Women Are Healthier Than Thin, Say Doctors

By M. D. TRACY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 27. Women with well rounded figures, inclined to be a little plump, suffer less from disease than their slender sisters, physicians attending the annual convention of the American Medical Association here today, were told. The rule was held applicable to men also.

Dr. Joel E. Goldwaite, Boston, in discussing "figures," stated thin people were more "prolific" and have increased their numbers from 20 per cent of the population twenty years ago to 60 per cent at the present time.

The physicians today devoted considerable time to the discussion of prohibition.

Dr. N. V. Nusum, Santa Barbara, Cal., said that there had undoubtedly been a large decrease in delirium tremens since the Volstead act became effective.

Hopes were held out by Dr. Herbert Moulton, Fort Smith, Ark., that

the profession would win in its battle to overcome blindness caused by wood alcohol poisoning. Cases treated with "arsphenamin and neo-arsphenamin" had been greatly benefited, he said.

SEPARATED FOR YEARS

Two popular screen players who have not met since they appeared in Kalem pictures in 1911, are members of the cast of the Paramount-Cosmopolitan production of "The Go-Getter," which will be shown at the National theatre today. Frederick Santley, who has been featured in many of Broadway's biggest successes, and William J. Sorelle, one of the first leading men in pictures, are the two players in question.

Santley has not appeared before the camera since 1911, confining his work since then to the musical stage, and Sorelle has not been seen on the screen in four years, his last screen appearance having been with Marguerite Clarke. In "The Go-Getter," Santley plays the role of an aviator, and Sorelle appears as a doctor. T. Roy Barnes and Seena Owen are featured in the cast which includes also William Morris, Tom Lewis, Louis Wolheim, John Carr and Frank Currier. The picture was directed by E. H. Griffith.

Albert Berry Jr., attended the Casparis-Jackson nuptials in Corsicana Tuesday night.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Ray Butler by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1923, the same being the 6th day of August, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1923 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3447-B, wherein Dr. J. H. Harvey is Plaintiff, and Ray Butler is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on or about September 29th, 1921, defendant executed and delivered to plaintiff his twelve several promissory notes for the sum of \$100.00 each, of that date and due March 29th, 1922, each respectively, payable to the order of plaintiff, and bearing 8% interest per annum from date until paid, and providing in the usual form for 10% attorney's fees, whereby defendant became bound and liable to pay and promised plaintiff to pay him said sum of money in said notes specified together with interest and attorney's fees due thereon; said notes were given for part of the purchase money on the following real estate situated in Limestone County, Texas, to-wit:
Lot No. Six in Block No. Two, Lot No. Eighteen in Block No. One, Lot No. Seventeen in Block No. One, Lot No. Eight in Block No. Two, Lot No. Nine in Block No. Two, all in Liberty Heights Addition to the town of Mexia. That said property was on Plaintiff to Defendant conveyed by deed of that date in consideration among other things of the twelve notes herein described, and said deed of conveyance a lien was reserved to

secure the payment of said notes; that each of said notes is due and unpaid and the defendant has failed and refused to pay said notes, or any of them, but the same are still due and unpaid; that said notes have been placed in the hands of attorney for collection and plaintiff has contracted to pay them the 10% attorney's fees stipulated therein.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited to appear and answer the petition herein, that he have judgment for his debt, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for the foreclosure of his lien upon the above described land and premises and that same be decreed to be sold according to law; that the sheriff or other officer executing said order of sale shall place the purchaser of said property sold under order of sale in possession thereof within thirty days after the day of sale; and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity that he may be justly entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this 21st day of June, A. D. 1923.
Johnson Wakefield, Clerk,
District Court, Limestone County.
By Ruby Lawley, Deputy.
(27 4 11 18)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon G. C. Wisdom and C. M. Walker by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 24th day of October, A. D. 1922 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 3207A, wherein Farmers State Bank of Mexia, Texas, is Plaintiff, and G. C. Wisdom and C. M. Walker are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on December 2, 1921, defendant G. C. Wisdom made, executed and delivered to plaintiff his promissory note for the sum of \$252.50 of that date payable to the order of plaintiff at Mexia, Texas, and order of thirty days thereafter bear 10% interest per annum from date until paid, and providing in the usual form for 10% attorney's fees; that said note is past due and unpaid and defendant G. C. Wisdom has failed and refused and still fails and refuses to pay same or any part thereof.

Plaintiff shows that defendant C. M. Walker on June 29, 1921, made, executed and delivered to C. E. Scruggs his two certain promissory notes for the sum of \$500.00 each, due twelve and eighteen months thereafter respectively, and bearing 10% interest per annum from date until paid, and providing in the usual form for 10% attorney's fees, said notes were given in part payment for the following described real estate and premises situated in the County of El Paso, state of Texas, being Section No. 12 in Block No. 7 Public School Lands in El Paso County, Texas; that said property was on June 29, 1922, conveyed by C. E. Scruggs to defendant C. M. Walker by deed of that date in consideration among other things of the two notes last above described, and did in said deed of conveyance retain a lien to secure the payment

of said notes; that said notes are past due and unpaid and defendant C. M. Walker has failed and refused and still fails and refuses to pay same or any part thereof; that said notes were by written endorsement thereon duly assigned and delivered by the payee, C. E. Scruggs without recourse to defendant G. C. Wisdom, and the defendant G. C. Wisdom by written endorsement thereon transferred, assigned and delivered said notes above described to plaintiff as collateral security and to guarantee the payment on the first note described herein.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendants be cited to appear and answer, and that upon a trial it have judgment against the defendants for its debt, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for foreclosure of the vendor's lien upon the land above described and an Order of Sale directing said property be sold and a sufficient amount of the proceeds therefrom be applied to the payment of plaintiff's indebtedness, and for such other and further relief, general and special, in law and in equity that plaintiff may be justly entitled to receive.

Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this 21st day of June, A. D. 1923.
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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

NO. 16
Proposing an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to taxation and revenues, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, directing the Legislature to provide for the construction, operation and maintenance, under State control, of a State system of public highways; providing for an election for the ratification or rejection of amendment herein proposed, and making an appropriation to defray the expense of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That there be submitted to the people of Texas, for ratification or rejection at a special election provided for herein an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending said Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, which shall read as follows:

Section 9a. The Legislature is authorized and directed to provide for the creation, establishment, construction, maintenance and repair of a system of improved highways throughout the State to be under the control of the State; and in order that the State may provide the means, revenues and instrumentalities the establishment and maintenance of such system of highways, the Legislature is empowered to levy and cause to be collected specific excise and ad valorem taxes, in addition to those permitted for other purposes in the Constitution, but such an ad valorem tax shall be imposed only for the purpose of retiring the bonds authorized by vote of the people of this State as provided for hereinafter in this Section.

When said system shall have been designated and taken over for the State as provided in Section A hereof, the Legislature is authorized to make provision for the equitable compensation to such counties for the value of such improvements as have been theretofore constructed by the Counties in the State.
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OIL
J. K. Hughes
J. K. Hughes of the Developing company in conversation with a reporter Wednesday afternoon stated that their McKie No. 1 the first well to be brought in in the vicinity of Chambers Creek was still making 4,700 barrels per day. Their McKie No. 4 which came in for an initial production of 7,000 barrels Saturday afternoon continued to make 5,000 barrels per day with no sign of an early let up.
In addition to the two producers which the J. K. Hughes Developing company has in this field they now have nine more drilling and one rigging up. The following report was given by Mr. Hughes:
McKie No. 1, making 4,700 barrels of pure pipe line oil.
McKie No. 2, drilling around 1900 feet.
McKie No. 3, setting casings.
McKie No. 4, producing 5,000 barrels per day.
McKie No. 5, drilling plug and is expected to be added to the producing columns by Friday night.
McKie No. 6, drilling at 2150 feet.
McKie No. 7, drilling at 2400 feet.
McKie No. 8, casing has been set and will be drilled in next week.
McKie No. 9, 10 and 11, spudding in.
McKie No. 12 rig up.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD
"Snipe" Conley, Dallas twirler turned back Houston sluggers for eight innings but in the ninth they got to him for seven runs and the game, winning, 8 to 1.
Fort Worth went back into first place by defeating Beaumont 6 to 5.
Everyone on the San Antonio team got at least one hit and the Bears broke Shreveport's winning streak by a score of 11 to 8.
Galveston pulled Wichita Falls out of first place, taking a hectic game, 10 to 6.
Brooklyn collected 21 hits, two home runs, three doubles and a triple in the series opener at Philadelphia, winning 16 to 5.
The Giants chalked up their ninth straight victory when they scored seven runs in the eleventh and defeated Boston, 15 to 8.
Pittsburgh made a clean sweep of the game series with St. Louis, winning the final game, 6 to 0.

FAREWELL ORDERS
That which is so well known to the officers of the Salvation Army has finally come to Envoy Hopper and family. We have just received a line from our headquarters of the Southwestern division saying we were to say good bye to Mexia on July 8th, 1923, but do not know where we will be stopping. Will know in a few days.—Envoy Hopper.
J. I. Riddle is to leave Friday afternoon for the furniture markets of the mid-west. His first stop will be at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Dismissal Of All Indictments To Be Urged by Atty. Gen
INDIANAPOLIS, June 28.—The dismissal of indictments against 127 coal mine operators and 99 leaders of the United Mine Workers will probably be asked by Attorney General Daugherty in the Federal Court. It is announced by Daugherty's office that he plans to ask the dismissal of the charges. Indictments have been hanging over bituminous industry since 1921 as the result of the coal strike of 1919. The government hopes that Daugherty's request will be followed by settlement of the whole bituminous controversy.
Late—Federal Judge Anderson dismissed the criminal conspiracy cases against miners and operators at the request of Daugherty.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish, through the columns of The Daily News, to thank the ball teams of the Lions and Salesmanship clubs for the money they gave us to help out with our Sunday School picnic, and also all others who were so willing to assist us in furnishing refreshments.
And those who furnished conveyances for the trip to the Reunion Grounds, who were as follows:
Mr. Jesse McLendon, a car.
Mr. John R. Corley, a truck.
Mr. Pominto, a truck.
Mrs. N. P. Houx, a car.
Mrs. Joe Walker, a car.
We cannot express our gratitude and thanks to our many friends who so gladly assisted in making the day's outing one of real joy.
Did we have a good time? Ask the kiddies.—Envoy and Mrs. Hopper.

"JAWN," CLEVER DOG ACTOR
"Jawn" is a clever canine actor appearing in the Paramount picture, "The Go-Getter," produced by the Cosmopolitan Corporation, and which is showing at the National theatre today. "Jawn's" name may not be mentioned in the cast, but he is very much in evidence just the same. A view of the picture will convince you that the little fellow is without an equal when it comes to intelligence. Featured in the cast are T. Roy Barnes, Seena Owen, William Morris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim.

Dorothy Mary Hostetter, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hostetter, celebrated her sixth birthday Tuesday, June 26, by entertaining her little friends of Mexia. The gallery and lawn were prettily decorated with lanterns and red paper streamers. Birthday cake and ice cream cones were served. The cake contained a ring and a thimble. The lucky finders being, Urtha Crutchfield for the ring and Corlton Stanley, Jr., the thimble. After refreshments the little ones played games and marched the Flag Drill by moonlight to victrola music. Those present were: Marguerite Buchanan, Ruth Kirk, Pauline Stanley, Virginia Stanley, Corlton Stanley, Urtha C. Crutchfield, Veta Mae Crutchfield, Margaretta Ella Strockey, Curtis Vernon, and Robert Tanner.

Circulation Campaign Rapidly Grows
The Circulation Campaign being put on by The Mexia Daily News is meeting with favorable consideration from the rural districts adjacent to Mexia. Each day brings us many new subscribers and many of our regular subscribers are taking advantage of this opportunity and renewing their subscription. We put this campaign on with the intention of placing our paper in every home in the Mexia Trade Territory and from the ready response we are getting we believe that we are going to be able to increase our rural circulation to a figure that is unequalled by any paper of our size in the country. This campaign will close July 15th and after that date we will go back to the original price.

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Seena Owen is featured with Mr. Barnes in this thrilling photoplay, as are also William Morris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim.

PIONEER KILLED BY TRAIN
AMARILLO, Texas, June 28.—John Landerger, 67, pioneer cattleman of this section, was struck and instantly killed by a Santa Fe passenger train here yesterday. Landerger was walking down the track and apparently did not hear the approaching train.
NEW YORK—When detectives arrested two jostlers in a street car the passengers started a near panic. They thought it was a hold-up.

RECORD HEAT IN DALLAS
DALLAS, Texas, June 28.—Heat records for the year were so far broken here yesterday when the thermometer registered 98. The highest temperature reported in the state was recorded in Fort Worth when the mercury climbed to 100.

Mrs. J. H. Redden and daughter, Miss Ellene are leaving today for New York City, for a two months visit with her son, Horace Davis. Much of the time will be spent in a cottage reserved for them at Beechwood, New Jersey.
Mrs. J. H. Dunkin of Ennis is here on a few days visit with her niece, Mrs. Leo McDonald.

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Priests Lead In Objection To Organization Of Denver Klan

Near Riot Occurs As Denver Official Disperses 10,000

DENVER, June 28.—Ten thousand persons in the municipal auditorium called to organize a local branch of the Ku Klux Klan, dispersed on orders of Commissioner of Safety Means. Shortly after the meeting opened Mr. Means announced that if there were any objections to holding the meeting in the auditorium it would be called off. A near riot followed the announcement and the meeting dispersed.

Two Catholic priests in army uniforms led the objection to holding the meeting.

2 Dallas Street Cars Collide Three Are Injured

DALLAS, Texas, June 28.—Three persons are known to have been injured, one seriously, when two street cars collided during the rush hour this morning on the causeway leading to the viaduct over Trinity river. Others are believed to have suffered minor injuries. The wreck was caused by an interurban going dead on the viaduct and a street car colliding with another which was waiting for the interurban.

APPROPRIATION BILLS FILED WITHOUT APPROVAL
AUSTIN, Texas, June 28.—All of the general appropriation bills, none of them carrying the governor's approval, were filed with the secretary of state by Governor Neff here late yesterday. The appropriations total approximately \$35,000,000.



A. H. EUBANKS

Mexia Banker Is Chosen For Post of Responsibility

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Humphreys Oil company held in Dallas Wednesday, A. Hardy Eubanks, acting Vice President of the Farmers State Bank of this city, was unanimously elected to the post of Secretary of the Humphreys Oil Company, made vacant by the recent resignation of William Reed of New York.

The resignation of Mr. Reed as Secretary and Assistant Treasurer had been received several days prior to the meeting in Dallas Wednesday. It was known for some time that the action was being contemplated and other directors then began to consider his successor. Mr. Eubanks is today receiving many congratulations from friends who are pleased to know that the big oil company did not have to look further than Mexia to find a man to take up the important positions of responsibility and honor left by Mr. Reed.

In speaking of the action of the board, one Mexia citizen today said, "The Humphreys Oil Company has paid Mexia and Texas a distinct compliment in the selection of the local citizen to this high honor. It is one of the greatest tributes that has ever been paid to a Texas banker, and an honor which he will well wear, as he is possessed of those sterling qualifications that truly reflect the very best in manhood connected with the great company."

Mr. Eubanks came to Mexia in May 1922, as active Vice President and Cashier of the Farmers State Bank. Prior to that, he was for more than two years connected with the

State Department of Insurance and Banking.

He is 37 years of age and for the past twelve years has passed through a very extensive and successful banking experience and his dealings with the oil sections of the state since 1920 has acquainted him with many of the details that fit him eminently for the post to which he was elected Wednesday.

His relations with the Farmers State Bank here have been highly satisfactory assert other officials and directors of the institution. Mr. Eubanks states that he has tendered his resignation as Acting Vice-President to the bank, which has been accepted, but states that he will retain his interest in the bank and his relations as a member of the Board of Directors. Several months ago J. L. Hearn was elected cashier of the bank, Mr. Eubanks then being given an opportunity to give more time to the Vice Presidency.

His successor as Acting Vice President will be announced within the next few days.

Mr. Eubanks moved with his wife and four boys to Mexia immediately following the establishment of his connections with this local financial institution, and since then he has been recognized as one of Mexia's most loyal and helpful citizens. His boys are A. H. Jr., Leon Stewart, J. W. (Billie) and the baby, Kenneth Ray. These and Mrs. Eubanks are now on a visit with her mother in Collin County, where Mr. Eubanks himself was born.

His duties with the Humphreys Oil Company will begin about the first of August.

Emigrants And Immigrants

GOIN OUT
By LLOYD ALLEN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
LONDON, June 28.—A great exodus of emigrants from Europe to the United States was on today.

Thousands of persons moved westward to take advantage of the new American immigration quotas, which go into effect next July.

It is one of the greatest migrations in history.

Actual figures thus far are incomplete. Steamship officials are conferring to avoid being loaded up with more passengers than can be admitted to America, and then having to fetch them home again.

The White Star liner Havreford sailed June 21, with 1,100, the Adriatic June 23, with 1,283 and Homeric June 27, with 1,030. The Belgenland sails today with 600. Many others are enroute.

COMING IN
WASHINGTON, June 28.—Three hundred and fifty seven thousand, eight hundred and three immigrants will be admitted during the fiscal

Orange Gasser On Fire, But Casualties None

ORANGE, Texas, June 28.—No casualties, but between sixty and seventy thousand dollars damage was done when Chesson well number 5 of the Kichi Development company blew in as a gasser and burst in flames which threatened to spread. Ten or twelve boilers will be used to extinguish the fire.

year starting July 1st, the Immigration Department stated. The situation will be handled satisfactorily, it was added. This number is the same as the quota for the year now ending.

Archbishop Must Face Trial For Russian Plottings

MOSCOW, June 28.—Archbishop Tikhon must face trial by the Greek Orthodox Church for his plotting against the Russian Government, Metropolitan Antonin, high prelate of the church, said today in an interview.

Tikhon, after months in jail, publicly admitted his guilt and announced he had experienced a change of heart laying blame on Czarist agents for his conspiracy against the Government. The Supreme Court thereupon recommended that he be liberated.

"The former patriarch has sincerely repented in the civil court. He must now repent in the church," said Antonin. His trial will follow, in the usual manner.

Showers Cause Mercury To Drop In Oklahoma City

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., June 27. After reaching 100 degrees, a new high mark for the season, the mercury dropped following scattered showers during the night and relief is promised for today, according to the local Weather Bureau.

New heat records for the season have been registered successively here during the last five days, according to the weather man.

Pres. Harding In Borah's State For Today

By LAWRENCE MARTIN
United Press Staff Correspondent
WITH PRESIDENT HARDING EN ROUTE TO POCATELLO, Idaho, June 28.—"Bill" Borah's State received President Harding today. The President was to speak at Pocatello at once. The subject was not known in advance, but it was intimated that Mr. Harding probably would refer to the world court. His advocacy of that proposal is growing more vigorous daily and while his references to it in Idaho will be such as not to excite offense to Senator Borah, they probably will be pointed, if he decides to mention the subject.

The fact is that Mr. Harding is coming close to the Borah idea of a court separated entirely from the League of Nations and outlawing war. He believes it may be possible to make a working alliance with Borah before the end of the forthcoming Senate fight on the proposal. Mr. Harding has been strongly advised, however, to confine his two speeches in Idaho today to agriculture and other domestic questions. He will speak at Idaho Falls in the afternoon.

The presidential train crossed into Idaho this morning after two days in Utah. Yesterday Mr. Harding and his party motored 150 miles to spend three hours in Zion National Park. Mr. Harding and his physician Dr. Sawyer rode up Zion Canyon on horseback.

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F. C. Smith, a farmer, was killed when a tree was blown over on him. Heavy rains, approaching cloudburst proportions, were reported throughout this section of Missouri and across the line in Kansas.

Tom Ross Jury Not Yet Agreed

LUBBOCK, Texas, June 28.—After twenty-four hours deliberation the Tom Ross jury has reached no decision. Attorneys for Milt Goode, indicate that they may ask for a change of two to four year sentence to serve.

Dempsey-Gibbons Fight Looks Doubtful

GREAT FALLS, Mont., June 28.—The Dempsey-Gibbons July 4, fight transaction looks like a "hopeless flat tire," John O'Neil, one of the most liberal of Great Falls contributors to Dempsey's purse, declared here.

He predicted that the promotion would go down as the greatest fiasco of the kind that ever occurred. O'Neil made these statements after conferring with Dan Tracy, who yesterday resigned the directorate of the show following the conference in Shelby. Dempsey must continue perfunctory training until next Tuesday when the final installment falls due, but O'Neil admitted that there is only the remotest outside chance that the champion will ever be called upon to raise a hand against Gibbons for his \$200,000 already received and banked outside the State of Montana.

Wealthy Ranchman Killed Near Corpus

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, June 28.—The body of Gregg Gibson, 24, a wealthy rancher, was found bullet-riddled on his ranch by a former Ranger, and he is believed to be bootlegger's victim.

Milt Goode Case Now Up for Trial

LUBBOCK, Texas, June 28.—With the jury still out in the Tom Ross case, court was to convene this morning for the trial of Milt Goode, who was indicted with Ross in connection with the killing of Dave Allison and H. L. Roberson, cattle inspectors, at Seminole last April.

Practically the same witnesses will be heard in the Goode trial as in Ross.

The work of selecting a jury to hear Goode's case was to be undertaken today although attorneys for Goode have announced they will ask for a continuance of their client's case because of the absence of several witnesses. In the event this is refused they will request a change of venue.

It was reported around the courtroom that the motions would be overruled.

One Killed; More Injured In Storm In S.W. Missouri

JOPLIN, Mo., June 28.—One was killed, several injured and property damage amounting to thousands of dollars swept by a high wind storm which swept Southwestern Missouri last night.

Fruit trees, telegraph and tele-

Second Attempt To Fly For Four Days

SAN DIEGO, Cal., June 28.—Captain Lowell H. Smith and Lieut. John B. Richter hopped off at Rockwell field at 4:48 a. m. in a second attempt to break all air endurance records.

The army aviators intend to remain in the air four days without stopping their motor, establishing seven new records including marks for sustained flight and for speed at various distances.

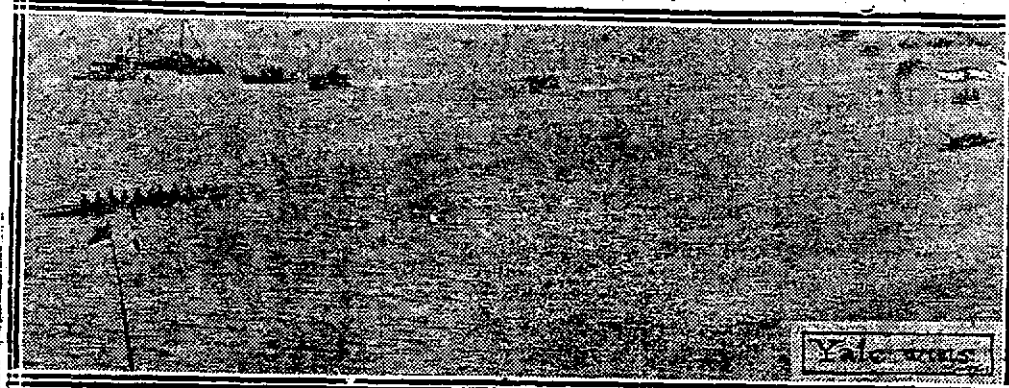
The first attempt, yesterday, ended after six hours when mechanical trouble forced them down.

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NEW YORK—William Shaughnessy, an "honor prisoner," escaped from Great Meadows prison in an automobile. He had only three more months of a two to four year sentence to serve.

YALE CREWS SWEEP HARVARD OFF RIVER.



Yale's crews swept the Thames River clear of Harvard's crews, off New London, Connecticut, when all three of Old Eli's boats won—none by less than seven lengths. The finish of the Varsity race, the classic of the year, is shown.

Goose Creek Men In Jail Decide To Talk

HOUSTON, Texas, June 28.—The three Goose Creek men who were fined and incarcerated in the county jail here last week for contempt of court when they refused to answer questions of the Harris county grand jury, have signified their willingness to talk and were to be taken before Judge C. W. Robinson at 10 a. m. today at which time the questions will be repeated to them.

The men, J. E. Harper, Jas Bradley, and W. E. Viles announced they were ready to answer the questions late yesterday following conference with their attorney.

The men were called as witnesses in the grand jury probe of masked floggings and mob violence in Harris county. When they refused to answer the questions propounded to them by the jury they were fined and sentenced to jail.

A crowd of persons estimated at 2,000 staged a demonstration in protest to the jailing of the men following their incarceration last Thursday night.

Many Citizens Pleased With July 4th Plans

The Fourth of July is to be celebrated in Mexia.

This announcement made Wednesday came as a matter of much gratification to the patriotic citizens of this city and since that time many citizens have expressed their approval of the plans.

The American Legion will meet at 8:00 o'clock and line up with the movement to a program on that occasion.

The ladies clubs of the city, likewise, are interested and working to make the day a success. They are especially going upon the business men and citizenship the value of individual co-operation, especially in decorating their business houses and homes and automobiles in the National Colors.

The co-operation of all civic clubs is being sought to make the day notably successful.

At 10:00 o'clock a sing song and pageant will take place at the square. Songs will be printed rather urged to join in the occasion, which will be addressed on Americanism.

Other R. Bridges, special music will be given by Dr. Bridges.

H. S. Jenkins, features and announced it.

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MORROW LEADS LIONS FRIDAY; LARGE CROWD EXPECTED

The Mexia Lions are looking forward to the session Friday when Tevis Morrow is to wield the gavel and preside over the occasion. He is planning one of the best programs that the Lions organization has enjoyed in several months and the past several periods have been marked by exceptionally good programs. It is his first time to lead and for that reason, he is more enthusiastic than ever in making the occasion one long to be remembered. There will be many entertaining features in addition to the addresses that will be made. Dr. Luther B. Bridgers, who has proven to be a happy and appreciated after dinner speaker here this week will be on the program and a dub is promised by the evangelist and his singer, in addition to his address. Every Lion is urged to be present at the session. Announcements will also be made regarding the Fourth of July program in Mexia.

The Elks' orchestra has been secured for the luncheon and Dr. R. B. Jackson has also consented to deliver the best speech that he knows on that occasion.

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This picture shown at the National Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

HUMPHREYS FAIR STRIKES OIL SHOWING AT POWELL

Four feet of sand and an excellent oil showing have already encountered in the Humphreys Fair well at Powell, according to information secured today from Hugh Alsbaugh of the Humphreys Oil company. It had been rumored on the street and in other offices that such was the case and that this is verified will prove a matter of much satisfaction to everyone who is looking Powellwards now.

The well is in a condition to be completed within the next few days, unless lack of pipe line facilities interfere. The well is lined upon with much favor. It is considered one of the most important wells now being drilled in Powell, as with its coming in a large new territory will be assured of development and production. The E. L. Smith Oil company's Irvine is also considered one of the most important of wells now going down. Casing has been set and the well should be completed within the next few days. It is believed that it, too, will come in for gusher production and prove a notable extension in line with the trend of the field.

To Hold A S. W. Wheat Conference

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., June 28.—Charging that the American farmer the National Wheat Growers and millers at the recent Chicago meeting, was "victimized" by the decisions of John A. Whitehurst, president of the State Board of Agriculture, was making tentative plans today for a Southwestern wheat conference which will probably be held at Wichita, Kans., early in July.

"Super-optimism," was blamed by Whitehurst for the alleged misleading statistics, which, he declared have resulted in a bearish trend of the wheat market since the Chicago meeting.

"All estimates submitted to the conference there," he stated, "included Russia with an enormous amount of export wheat, which, I believe is purely mythical. Apparently there exists a plot to give wheat-hungry European opportunity to fill her bins with American wheat with starvation cost to the American producer," Whitehurst declared.

"Any consideration of 1924 wheat acreage and production at the proposed Wichita conference will be based upon statistics of the United States and other known countries," he asserted.

County association leaders in all wheat producing sections of Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Nebraska, Missouri and Colorado, were queried regarding the proposed conference.

The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss means to put wheat growing back on a profitable basis to the producer, consider diversification of crops throughout the Southwest and work out a plan for orderly marketing of the Southwest's wheat crop, according to Whitehurst.

"JAWN," CIEVER DOG ACTOR

"Jawn" is a clever canine actor appearing in the Paramount picture, "The Go-Getter," produced by the Cosmopolitan Corporation, and which is showing at the National theatre today. "Jawn's" name may not be mentioned in the cast, but he is very much in evidence just the same. A view of the picture will convince you that the little fellow is without an equal when it comes to intelligence. Featured in the cast are T. Roy Barnes, Seena Owen, William Norris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim.

Mrs. J. H. Dunkin of Ennis is here on a few days visit with her niece, Mrs. Leo McDowell.

Patterson's Column



LAST WEEK my sister
WHO LIVES in Breckenridge
AND WHO'S husband is a
LAWYER BUT she can't help
THAT VISITED us and after
ASSURING HERSELF that my
MY LITTLE girl was getting
WELL BEGAN asking me if
I WENT often to church and
AS USUAL I had to tell a mild
SORT OF a lie saying yes
QUITE FREQUENTLY and she
asked
ABOUT JOE Putnam whom my
POOR OLD mother thought was
THE GREATEST preacher in the
WORLD AND my sister
BEING THE sort of a Methodist
THAT LOVES the Baptists too
BUT FEARS that with the
BAPTIST GETTING all the money
AND GRASSHOPPERS getting
ALL THE crops the Methodists
WILL HAVE to pull mighty
HARD TO get by this year
SO I promised to attend the
REVIVAL AND listen to Bother
BRIDGERS AND "JENK'S" and I
SHALL ENJOY the sermon for
BRIDGERS IS a man with a
REAL MESSAGE and he knows
HOW TO deliver it and "JENK'S"
IS A SINGER with a soul as
WELL AS a voice and the
CHANCES are that if
THEY BUY any jewelry in
MEXIA THEY will buy it from
US AS IT is a fact well
KNOWN THAT we sell the
BEST THERE is—there isn't any
BETTER.—I thank you.
—Patterson.

NEW YORK—When detectives arrested two jostlers in a street car the passengers started a near panic. They thought it was a hold-up.

July 1st Farmers' Month at A. & M.

COLLEGE STATION, June 28.—July 1st Farmers' month at the A. & M. College of Texas and all the resources of the institution in personnel, building, equipment and livestock are being assembled for an extraordinary effort to implant visions of the value of scientific methods and give the greatest possible practical benefits to the toilers of the fields and those who direct the day labor on the farm.

Beginning July 2 and continuing throughout the month there will be given a course in all phases of general agriculture for the farm boys. Beginning at the same time and continuing for eight weeks will be a course in automobile and tractor for the men and boys whose attention is directed particularly at machinery power. Graduate veterinarians will have access to a special course in veterinary medicine and surgery, beginning July 16 and lasting one week a combined course for country ministers and country editors will also begin on July 16 and will continue through the last week of July, merging with the Farmers' Short Course, a general course for farm men, women, boys and girls, and without a doubt the greatest single event of importance to the farm population held in the state each year. It is a climaxing week of competition, study and recreation for the rural dwellers, an appropriate and logical conclusion of their year of work in agriculture and home econ-

omies, under the leadership and direction of the A. & M. Extension agents. It will open Monday morning June 23, and will close Saturday night July 28.

SEPARATED FOR YEARS

Two popular screen players who have not met since they appeared in Kalem pictures in 1911, are members of the cast of the Paramount-Cosmopolitan production of "The Go-Getter," which will be shown at the National theatre today. Frederick Santley, who has been featured in many of Broadway's biggest successes, and William J. Sorelle, one of the first leading men in pictures, are the two players in question.

Santley has not appeared before the camera since 1911, confining his work since then to the musical stage, and Sorelle has not been seen on the screen in four years, his last screen appearance having been with Marguerite Clarke in "The Go-Getter." Santley plays the role of an aviator, T. Roy Barnes and Seena Owen are featured in the cast which includes also William Norris, Tom Lewis, Louis Wolheim, John Carr and Frank Currier. The picture was directed by E. H. Griffith.

Mrs. J. H. Redden and daughter, Miss Ellene are leaving today for New York City, for a two months visit with her son, Horace Davis. Much of the time will be spent in a cottage reserved for them at Beechwood, New Jersey.

County Attorney Scott Reed was up from Groesbeck today on official business.

Miss Alice Hankins, of Corsicana, who has been visiting Miss Annie Lou Karner for several days, returned to her home Tuesday.



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RAIN IS RELIEF TO KANSAS AND SURROUNDING DISTRICT

KANSAS CITY, June 28.—Rain brought relief yesterday from the heat which has caused Kansas City and vicinity to swelter for ten days. Cool breezes swept the city.

Desperado Wanted In Cleveland For Murder of Officer

DETROIT, Mich., June 28.—John D. Whitfield, desperado wanted in Cleveland for the cold blooded murder of Policeman Dennis Griffin, was held here pending advice from Cleveland police officials.

Whitfield was captured last night by a squad of detectives armed with riot guns. The capture ended a six weeks' search through the middle west.

Man Lies Near Death Because Of Blood Need

FOR WORTH, Texas, June 27.—Mark Preddy, 69, of Mineral Wells lies at the point of death at a hospital here because no one can be found with the right weight of blood to save his life by transfusion.

More than fifty persons have volunteered to give blood to Preddy but none of them have the right blood weight, hospital attendants said.

Tyler Suffers Big Fire Loss Thursday Night

TYLER, Texas, June 27.—Fire swept several buildings in the business district here last night caused damage estimated between \$60,000 and \$70,000. The fire was believed to have started in a restaurant.

All refrigerators and ice boxes on sale this week at wholesale cost. Dol-luride Hardware Co., 313 East Commerce street. Masonic building. 25d2



T. Roy Barnes
in the Paramount Picture
"The Go-Getter"
A Cosmopolitan Production

This picture shown at the National Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Hotel Manager Postmaster At Ft. Worth Now

FORT WORTH, Texas, June 27.—Billy Moore, manager of the Metropolitan hotel here for 25 years, received a telegram, Tuesday from the third assistant postmaster general, notifying him of his appointment as acting postmaster here. The appointment will be permanent, his friends predict.

"THE GO-GETTER" COMING

The Paramount Cosmopolitan production, "The Go-Getter," will be the feature on the bill at the National theatre Thursday. The story, written by Peter B. Kyne, is a fast moving comedy-drama, in which T. Roy Barnes, Seena Owen, William Morris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim are the featured players. The supporting cast is strong. E. H. Griffith, who supervises the screening of many of Peter Kyne's stories, directed.

BOLL WEEVIL DESTROYER

UVALDE, Texas June 28.—Cotton growers of Frio county are ridding their fields of cotton boll weevil at a cost of about 18 cents per acre, according to J. W. Evans, prominent farmer of Pearson, Frio county.

The remedy used consists of cheap molasses and arsenic. One man can cover five acres a day, swabbing the cotton plants with the sweetened poison.

Miss Ruth Kahn of Gloucester, Miss. is visiting her sister Mrs. Emile Nussbaum.

Negro Is Found Guilty of Murder By A Dallas Jury

DALLAS, Texas, June 27.—Ernest Lawson, negro, was found guilty of the murder of J. R. Crain, night watchman, by a jury here late Tuesday and penalty was fixed at death. The verdict was returned in 40 minutes after the case went to the jury.

There was no demonstration by the large crowd which packed the courtroom when the verdict was read.

Crain was shot to death here May 24. The chief testimony of the state was a purported confession by the negro that he shot Crain as the latter was standing in front of a drug store while Crain and another negro were inside the store.

SPORTLIGHTS

By W. R.

The Indians played a jam-up game and hit in the pinches and with Red Hill in the box won 8 to 0.

In the ninth Northern hit one that looked like that it was due for a round trip but it fell into the hands of Jamar who backed up against the fence.

As I said before we can't see why Austin took three straights from the

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Box up at Sorville and hammer the pitchers all over the lot and then to come home and let the same pitchers walk all over them and defeat them three straight games.

I don't see why they all wanted to see Sherman get the rag unless it was because the Gushers had been leading all the season and wanted to see them below the coveted 600 mark.

Only a few years ago a few players were banished from baseball. Wagoner and a few other stars, so everybody had better be careful.

We have 70 more games to play and we ought to be able to show the gang same STRAIGHT BASEBALL. We can play clean and we don't want a thing given to us.

HIGH SALARIED BALL PLAYER

DALLAS, Texas June 28.—The highest paid player in the Texas League, according to Pat Monahan, Pittsburgh scout who was here recently, is Harold Carlson, Wichita Falls pitcher. Carlson receives \$1,000 a month of which amount Pittsburgh pays a certain percent.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS

Undelivered telegrams up to June 27, 1928.

Brown Pearl
Barley, R. L.
Evans, G. C.
Fitwater, William
Gates, Mrs. I. K.
Gould, O. L.
Hennington, B.
Harper, Jim
McGorry, Tom
Peoples, E. M., Jr.
Porter, Jack
Strawn, Mrs. W. D.
Thompson, Mr.
Thompson, C. C.
West, R. M.
Walker, Marshall
Willey, Walter D.
Watkins, Edwards

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Seena Owen
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This picture shown at the National Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Letters from People

AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

The proposed amendment to be voted on in July giving the state highway commission full control of the State highways, bids fair to be one of the most expensive institutions of the state.

It is an amendment to section 9 of article 8 of the Texas constitution. Section 9 of article 8 reads thus: The state tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, shall never exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, etc.

This Amendment known as section 9 proposes to collect a road tax in addition to this fifty cents on one hundred dollars valuation of property and how much above it does not say. There is no limit expressed or implied.

This section 9a states that the Legislature is empowered to levy and cause to be collected specific, excise and ad valorem taxes. This tax shall be used for building improved highways in Texas. This specific tax is such as we now have on the automobiles. As it is now, I believe, the counties get half the automobile taxes collected; but if this amendment carries it will all go to the state to be used probably at El Paso or at any other place in the state that the Highway commission may desire. The commissioners court will have nothing to do with the Ex- all highway or any other state road. If a bridge needs repairing we cannot repair it; but must wait for a high salaried inspector to come from Austin to look over it, which will cost as much as the repairing job itself.

There is part of the second para-

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graph under section 9a left out of the publications now being distributed over the state. The part left out of the original resolution is as follows:

That the Legislature may when authorized so to do, by a majority vote of the people of the state, issue bonds based upon an ad valorem tax, upon such other revenues or taxable resources that may be provided for and stipulated in the act. That the rate of interest for such bonds or indebtedness shall be stipulated and provided for in the act or ordinance authorizing said issue, pledging thereto the full faith and credit of the state of Texas; other provisions of the constitution to the contrary notwithstanding.

I have fully determined for myself that I will not vote for an amendment to the constitution that is not easily understood. I will confess that I do not understand this part of section 9a.

It starts out by saying that the Legislature may issue bonds if the majority of the people vote for the bonds. Then it says that the rate of interest for such bonds or (indebtedness) etc. This word (indebtedness) leaves the impression that if the people do not vote for the bonds that the Legislature can borrow money on the states credit. Especially so when it says "other provisions of the constitution notwithstanding." This last phrase probably has reference to section 59 of article 3 which says that the Legislature shall have no power to pledge the credit of the state in any manner whatsoever for the payment of liabilities present or prospective.

Then there is another proposition in this amendment that I do not like, and that is the idea of the state paying money back to counties that have already built highways. Let us consider the payment of Dallas county for the roads she has built. The people of Dallas probably have spent millions of dollars on the state roads running through Dallas county. These roads are for the benefit of the people of Dallas county more so than for any body else. They had pride enough to want the roads and money enough to build them. They are not asking the state to repay them, but if this amendment carries the state will really owe Dallas county for these roads, and it will be left up to the highway commission and the Legislature to make provisions for payment.

Local self government is the best government. I do not like the idea of centralizing all the power at Austin. Our county commissioners will look after our highways much better than any commissioner at Austin will, besides our taxes are mounting upward

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year after year, and now the authorities are seeking to amend the constitution so that the road tax can be raised to an excessive rate. There will be no constitutional limit.

Our constitution was written when people were more patriotic than they are now, and as long as greed and graft and self interest abounds in Texas as it is to-day the common people had better be careful about voting a change in our constitution.

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ACTOR RISKS LIFE FLAGGING TRAIN IN "THE GO-GETTER"

Defying death when he flagged an express train traveling at a speed of forty miles an hour, T. Roy Barnes, who plays the featured role of Bill Peck in the Paramount-Cosmopolitan production of "The Go-Getter," which comes to the National theatre Thursday, gave a distinct thrill to Director Griffith and the engine driver of the train, who were seated in the cab.

During the filming of the aeroplane express train scenes of the picture Mr. Barnes stood between the rails. After alighting from an aeroplane Mr. Barnes soaked his coat in gasoline and, lighting it, takes his place between the rails and waves the flaming garment at the train, which is speeding down upon him. The train thundered along at a distance of twenty yards and still the actor stood in its path wildly waving his blazing torch.

"Get off!" shouted Director Griffith, waving his arms frantically at Barnes, who still maintained his position. "You're a dead man in another second!"

But Barnes was too cool a hand to allow himself to be ground to pieces. Giving the express a leeway of fifteen feet, Barnes jumped to safety just as the ponderous engine swept by, covering him with dust. The emergency brake had been set by the engine driver and the train came to a halt within fifty yards. The director remonstrated with Barnes for his daring, but the actor merely laughed at the incident.

Seena Owen is featured with Mr. Barnes in this thrilling photoplay, as are also William Morris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim.

Albert Berry Jr., attended the Casparis-Jackson nuptials in Corsicana Tuesday night.

Miss Alice Hankins of Corsicana, who has been visiting Miss Annie Lou Karner for several days, returned to her home Tuesday.

THIRD PARTY IS EXPECTED TO BACK FORD IN RACE

DETROIT, Mich., June 28.—A third national political party with the aim of electing Henry Ford President in 1924, will be formed here in the near future. At a convention of a "Ford for President" club, Rev. Dr. William Dawe, president of the Dearborn Club, said today.

Date for the convention has not been decided, Dr. Dawe said, but the convention will be far enough off to allow Ford for President clubs all over the country to send delegates. The Dearborn Club is distributing "Ford for President" literature at the expense of the members of the club, according to Dr. Dawe.

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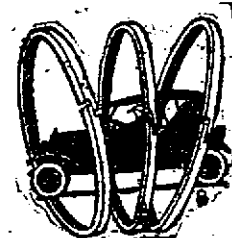
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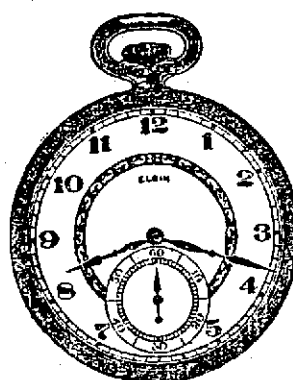
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Baseball

Well fans, it is a pretty hard pill to swallow but we must take our medicine. We were within two games of the pennant and then to get beat was a mighty hard thing to take, but we fought for it and gave every team that we played a hard fight and a square deal and that is all that we could do and keep on playing good, clean, sportsmanlike baseball. Then too, we had to defeat four clubs at once but not all in the same manner and that is a hard job for anyone, in fact it just can't be did.

There is something about the last nine or ten games that I'm a little leery of, in fact I can't quite savvy but not all in the same manner and where, but the question is, "where." The Austin Rangers cleaned up the Sherman Sox when on their road trip, knocking Muns, Richburg and Lind all over the lot, winning all three games with apparent ease, and then the Sox go to Austin and make things just reverse of the preceding series and it seemed to the public that Rankin had given his charges a little rest diet and they were just in there and that was all. Things look spookly when the Sox took three out of four from the Busters and that one was the last of a double header and it would not look right for Corsicana to let the Sox "take" all four so they kinda hit the old apple for a measly seven innings.

It is not so much that we are fussing about losing the pennant, as it is about losing it fairly and squarely. We played clean fair ball and we lost it in a sportsmanlike manner but we were having to fight teams with lots of "dinero" perhaps? And we can't do that and do it fair, and there is not another team that can either. But sit tight fans, and we will come around this last half and show the gang some ball playing. We have

seventy more games and we have as good a chance as any other club in the circuit.

It was a hard fought battle over at Waco yesterday and it was a heart-breaking game to loose. Both Red and Carl Hill pitched good ball and it was not a bad game at all. There were about two hundred and fifty Wacoans and about fifty or more Mexiaites over and they all yelled themselves hoarse.

Carl Hill who worked Monday was called on by Hub to work and he turned in a good game with the exception of the seventh when two errors, a double, and a single scored three runs. All the rest of the game it was nip and tuck with things about even. Red Hill did not miss a not hit game by a very wide margin for the three hits that they got off of him were only of the scratch variety and two of them should have been fielded easy by the Waco infielder but they just couldn't deliver the goods at the proper time. Pennant Hopes Gone.

Ferguson in the box for the locals.

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Johnson, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0	
Tiner, rf	4	0	0	1	0	1	
Bechtel, cf	3	0	1	2	0	0	
Whitney, c	3	0	0	2	1	0	
Carl Hill, p	3	0	0	0	6	0	
xRoyster	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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Jamar, rf	2	0	0	4	0	1	
Shires, 1b	2	1	1	10	0	0	
Barrett, cf	3	1	1	0	1	0	
Lewis, ss	3	1	1	2	8	0	
Untz, 2b	3	0	1	3	1	0	

Schroyer, c	3	0	0	6	0	0	
Red Hill, p	3	0	0	1	1	1	
Total	26	3	6	27	11	8	
Scores by innings:							
Mexia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waco	0	0	0	0	0	3	0

Two-base hits: Comstock, Bechtel, Barrett. Left on bases: Mexia 4; Waco 3. Bases on balls: Red Hill 1; Carl Hill 1. Struck out: Carl Hill 2; Red Hill 6. Double play: Jamar to Shires. Earned runs: Waco 2. Sacrifice hits: Jamar, Shires. Time of game: 1:20. Umpires: West and Bonner.

Miss Pauline Wright entertained a party of young folks at her home on Hunt Street Monday night. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Mark Costler, Jordan Parsley, Jesse Lawrence, Odus Oprie, R. B. Ward, Reta Cox, Christine Parker of Corsicana; Ruby Miller, Tassie Stewart, Willie Mae Stewart, Lola Cockrum, Helen Cockrum, and the hostess, Miss Pauline Wright.



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Thoroughbred Ford Stripped of Extras Held By Officers

Wednesday night while driving along the Shiloh road officers Wright and Marvin Wooten ran afoul of two men driving a Ford car without lights, and hailed the driver, who speeded up a little, but the officers overtook him just after he had thrown something out of the car. This proved to be a pint of whiskey which the officers found in the weeds near by. When nearing town the driver of the car asked to get out and see a friend living near by, which request was

granted, but the man on emerging from the friend's house, came out running and made his get away. The car was brought into town and was parked in front of the City hall this morning awaiting the owner. It is a Ford chassis with a rough box seat and rear light truck attachment, no hood or lights, but with two different numbers, a 370 series on the front and a 400 series on the rear, and it is this difference in numbers that caused Constable Thompson to hold the car.

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Children Watch The Little Birdie

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, June 28.—When C. D. McCaution local photographer, says, "now watch the little birdie," frightened infants do not look in vain. McCaution has added another duty to those of his demure black bantam hen which has graced his table with some 280 eating eggs during the past year. The fowl has been trained to do stunts in his studio and when he snaps his fingers and says "watch the little birdie" the bantam flies to his shoulder, and perches there. "It works" he says.



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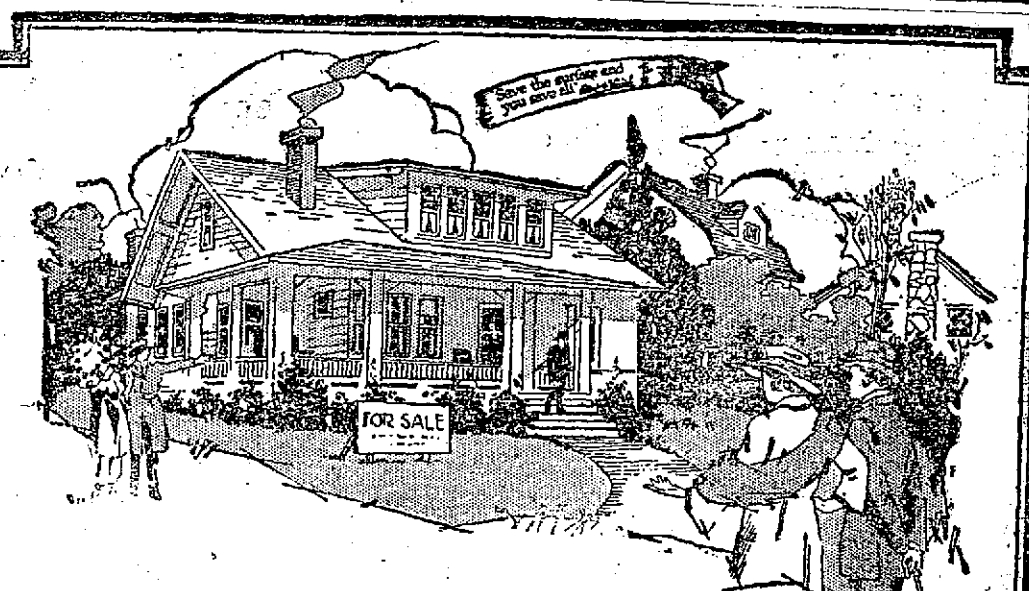
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Mexia Twenty Years Ago

Compiled By N. P. Hour.
From Files of Mexia Evening News,
Of June 27, 1903.

Miss Julia Wolverton has returned from a visit in Corsicana.

Mrs. J. Desenberg is in Lawton, Mich., for the summer.

Miss Mattie B. Watson is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. David, in Corsicana.

M. L. McDonald has a patch of corn in his garden that will average twelve feet in height and some of the stalks have as many as six ears of corn. How is that for corn?

Chas. Wolverton came over from Mart Saturday and spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. E. M. Johnson of Young, Freestone county, is in the city visiting the family of her brother, Hugh Everett.

A negro was arrested and put in jail Saturday charged with having killed a horse by riding him to death on emancipation day. The horse belonged to Wallace Gibbs, who placed him under treatment with Dr. Snodgrass, and the doctor brought the animal through all right.

Nick Jackson held his own at the big Shreveport shoot by coming out ahead.

EDITORIAL—According to an exchange, the man who went out to milk and sat down on a boulder in the middle of the pasture and waited for the cow to back up, was a brother to the man who kept a store and wouldn't advertise because he reasoned that the purchasing public would back up to his place and business when it wanted something.

Jack Adamson was in from his home at Cotton Gin Monday and says they had quite a blow out there Sunday afternoon, that blew his buggy house away, razed some fences, and did other damage at different places. A heavy rain fell during the afternoon and night.

Mr. John King of Shanks brought in a tomato that weighs 17½ ounces, and he says he has many more as large. He calls it the Red Field Beauty.

OBSERVATION PARTY
The Minors Kennedy entertained Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Steadman, who left Thursday for her home in North Carolina.

The invitations read like this:
"We'd be glad to have you come and spend the afternoon with us at home. Your R. S. V. P. please send in rhyme; and that is all, but come."

In compliance with this request answers were received that displayed much talent in rhyme and wit.

Mrs. Steadman received first prize, a lace handkerchief.

Mrs. Fred S. Karner received the

booby prize, a copy of Mother Goose Rhymes.

The afternoon was concluded with light refreshments and music.

Among the guests from a distance were:

Mrs. Geanie Steadman, Caroline, N. C.

Miss Zent, Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Siddall, Texarkana.

Miss Clara Crawford, Houston.

Mrs. D. A. Cook, Houston.

Masons Install New Officers

Springfield Lodge No. 74, A. F. and A. M. had a good attendance at the meeting Wednesday night, the business being the installation of the new officers elected last Saturday night.

Past Master, Guy Herring acted as installing officer and inducted into office the following to serve during the coming Masonic year:

Colon Phillips, W. M.

T. O. Meador, S. W.

Rodney Tidwell, J. W.

Julius Nussbaum, Treasurer.

J. Frank Cogdell, Secretary.

H. G. Pierce, S. D.

Rod Fielder, J. D.

A. M. Stevens, S. S.

Geo. M. Tidwell, J. S.

T. A. Griffith, Tiler.

At the close of the installation ceremony several talks were made, the chief among them being one by Frank C. Bolton, in presenting to the lodge a fac-simile of the signers of the Declaration of Independence who were Master Masons. The document is framed and will make quite an addition to the decorations now on the walls of the lodge room.

Out of the fifty-six who signed the Declaration of Independence, fifty-three were Masons, one of them John Hart, being an ancestor of Mr. H. C. Pierce, the new senior deacon of Springfield Lodge. Mr. Bolton made an appropriate speech in presenting the document to the lodge, reviewing the activities and influence of Masonry in the establishment of this govern-

ment, and the talk was liberally applauded by those present.

After the ceremonies were finished, refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake, and cigars were served, making the meeting one long to be remembered by the members and visitors present.

Chicken House Burned Wednesday

About 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon the fire boys answered a call that took them to L. T. Knox's home on East Sumpter street, where a chicken house was burning. It was nearly gone when the fire fighters arrived, but no other damage was done.

J. W. Hornbeck 50 Years A Preacher

CORSICANA, Texas June 28.—Fifty years ago, the Rev. J. W. Hornbeck, then a youth of 21, proudly preached his first sermon.

Recently the Reverend Hornbeck, after two years absence from the pulpit, delivered a sermon at the Cumber-

land Presbyterian church here. He took the same text he used in his first sermon—"By the Grace of God, I am What I am."

To further recall old times, Reverend Hornbeck "lined" several old hymns, a general custom in former days, reading two lines and letting the congregation sing without any musical accompaniment.

Dead Grasshoppers Are Damaging Crop

CISCO, Texas June 28.—Roads between Cisco and Moran have been strewn with dead grasshoppers that have been doing extensive damage to crops in this section.

Countless numbers of the insects have swarmed over cotton fields and

in some cases, almost destroyed the crops.

The grasshoppers congregated in large numbers in the roads, only to be crushed beneath the wheels of automobiles.

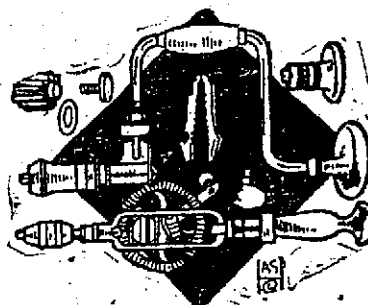
The survivors immediately gather around their less fortunate companions and devour the bodies, according to motorists.

Farmers are using poison in an effort to check the ravages of the insects.

The street pavers are pushing north on McKinney street with the topping and will soon have that street open all the way from the stand pipe to the ball park. The surbing force is now working on North Kaufman.

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Man Cannot Serve God And Mammon Warning of Strong Message Given By Evangelist At Revival Now On

One of the largest crowds that has yet assembled at the revival in progress at the First Methodist church was that of last night.

The song service was an inspiration to lovers of music and to those who feel the power of God in the great gospel messages brought in song.

The pastor, Rev. W. B. Andrews, expressed his appreciation to the members of other churches for their attendance and cooperation in the meeting. He said that he wanted every Christian in Mexia and community to realize that all are welcome and cordially invited to feel perfectly at home in the revival and at the church at all times.

Dr. Luther B. Bridgers concurred in what the pastor had said and added, "Tell your friends to come and we will assure them of a warm welcome."

A message in song was then brought by Dr. Bridgers and Mr. Jenkins. These men can both sing, with the congregation, in solo or duet, but it does seem that their duets are rare treats and filled with the riches of great messages to the souls of those who hear them.

Dr. Bridgers stated that it had been announced in The News that he would preach last night on "The Fruits of Revival Repentance" but that he felt that he was called upon to change his subject and discuss another subject, waiting until Thursday night to preach on that subject.

He said that he wanted to talk to the congregation about Right and Wrong. There are people in the church who are not Christians. They are living under the protection of the church and living as sinners in the sight of God. At the great judgment bar, one of the works that will be done will be to weed out the sheep from the goats and to separate the sinning church members from the real Christians. You are the servant of your affections. If you love God, you will be Godlike in holiness. If you love sin, you will be sinful.

Luke 16-13 was read as the text for the evening.

"No servant can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon."

Reputation is what people think you are and character is what God knows you to be, the evangelist stated in the beginning of his discourse. You cannot uncover a sincere heart to its embarrassment. It wants to know its weakness and shortcomings. The story of the rich man and Lazarus was referred to, given in the same chapter with the text, the speaker asserting that the two extreme characters were given to stress the difference between Right and Wrong, to show the relationship of man to God.

Dives was placed on the highest classification possible from the standpoint of the world. He was a rich,

young ruler. He had everything that was necessary to enable him to live a life of luxury and ease. He was unwilling to pay the price, however, for a home in Heaven, which price was above that of rubies and riches. Self righteousness cannot appease the anger of a Just God. You cannot buy salvation with money alone. You can't lock arms with the flesh and the devil and be a blessing to God and please both at the same time.

There was a time when the devil was as a roaring lion, going up and down the country, seeking whom he might devour. He is not so openly defiant today, however. He now appears as an angel of light seeking to mislead those whom he would have follow him. He appeals to their intelligence today. He even urges a high moral standard.

Mrs. Zeno King and daughter motored to Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. H. Stevens and Mr. Fred Reeves who are on their way to Tennessee.

HARRIS AND JACOBS HAVE VISITOR LAST NIGHT AT STORE HERE

Beating an entrance into Harris & Jacobs' general furnishing establishment through a door leading into it from the rear, an unknown party last night burglarized the place of three suits of clothes, a couple of dozen shirts, two hats, and two caps and possibly some other articles. Entrance was effected through the door to a toilet which also served the barbershop opening on Womack Lane. From the barber shop a hand bag was also taken. Officers are today working on the case.

Miss Alice Hankins of Corsicana, who has been visiting Miss Annie Lou Kerner for several days, returned to her home Tuesday.

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Plump Women Are Healthier Than Thin, Say Doctors

By M. D. TRACY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 27. Women with well rounded figures, inclined to be a little plump, suffer less from disease than their slender sisters, physicians attending the annual convention of the American Medical Association here today, were told. The rule was held applicable to men also.

Dr. Joel E. Goldwaite, Boston, in discussing "figures", stated thin people were more "prolific" and have increased their numbers from 20 per cent of the population twenty years ago to 0 per cent at the present time.

The physicians today devoted considerable time to the discussion of prohibition.

Dr. N. V. Nusum, Santa Barbara, Cal., said that there had undoubtedly been a large decrease in delirium tremens since the Volstead act became effective.

Hopes were held out by Dr. Herbert Moulton, Fort Smith, Ark., that

the profession would win in its battle to overcome blindness caused by wood alcohol poisoning. Cases treated with "arsphenamin and neo-arsphenamin" had been greatly benefited, he said.

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Albert Berry Jr., attended the Casparis-Jackson nuptials in Corsicana Tuesday night.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Ray Butler by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in your county to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1923, the same being the 6th day of August, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1923 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 344-B, wherein Dr. J. H. Harvey is Plaintiff, and Ray Butler is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on or about September 29th, 1921, defendant executed and delivered to plaintiff his twelve several promissory notes for the sum of \$100.00 each, of that date and due March 29th, 1922, each respectively, payable to the order of plaintiff, and bearing 8% interest per annum from date until paid, and providing in the usual form for 10% attorney's fees, whereby defendant became bound and liable to pay and promised plaintiff to pay him said sum of money in said notes specified together with interest and attorney's fees due thereon said notes were given for part of the purchase money on the following real estate situated in Limestone County, Texas, to-wit: Lot No. Six in Block No. Two, Lot No. Eighteen in Block No. One, Lot No. Seventeen in Block No. One, Lot No. Eight in Block No. Two, Lot No. Nine in Block No. Two, all in Liberty Heights Addition to the town of Mexia. That said property was on September 29th, 1921, conveyed by Plaintiff to Defendant by deed of that date in consideration among other things of the twelve notes herein described, and said deed of conveyance a lien was reserved to

secure the payment of said notes; that each of said notes is due and unpaid and the defendant has failed and refused to pay said notes, or any of them, but the same are still due and unpaid; that said notes have been placed in the hands of attorneys for collection and plaintiff has contracted to pay them the 10% attorney's fees stipulated therein. Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited to appear and answer the petition herein; that he have judgment for his debt, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for the foreclosure of his lien upon the above described land and premises and that same be decreed to be sold according to law; that the sheriff or other officer executing said order of sale shall place the purchaser of said property sold under order of sale in possession thereof within thirty days after the day of sale; and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity that he may be justly entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this 21st day of June, A. D. 1923.

Johnson Wakefield, Clerk, District Court, Limestone County. By Ruby Lawley, Deputy. (27 4 11 18)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon G. C. Wisdom and C. M. Walker by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in your county to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 24th day of October, A. D. 1922 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 3207A, wherein Farmers State Bank of Mexia, Texas is Plaintiff, and G. C. Wisdom and C. M. Walker are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on December 2, 1921, defendant G. C. Wisdom made, executed and delivered to plaintiff his promissory note for the sum of \$252.50 of that date payable to the order of plaintiff at Mexia, Texas, and due thirty days thereafter, bearing 10% interest per annum from date until paid, and providing in the usual form for 10% attorney's fees; that said note is past due and unpaid and defendant G. C. Wisdom has failed and refused to pay same or any part thereof.

Plaintiff shows that defendant C. M. Walker on June 29, 1921, made, executed and delivered to C. E. Scruggs his two certain promissory notes for the sum of \$500.00 each, due twelve and eighteen months thereafter respectively, and bearing 10% interest per annum from date until paid, and providing in the usual form for 10% attorney's fees; said notes were given in part payment for the following described real estate and premises situated in the County of El Paso state of Texas, being Section No. 12 in Block No. 7 Public School Lands in El Paso County, Texas; that said property was on June 29, 1922, conveyed by C. E. Scruggs to defendant C. M. Walker by deed of that date in consideration among other things of the two notes last above described, and did in said deed of conveyance retain a lien to secure the payment

of said notes; that said notes are past due and unpaid and defendant C. M. Walker has failed and refused to pay same or any part thereof; that said notes were by written indorsement thereon duly assigned and delivered by the payee, C. E. Scruggs without recourse to defendant G. C. Wisdom, and the defendant G. C. Wisdom by written indorsement thereon transferred, assigned and delivered said notes above described to plaintiff as collateral security and to guarantee the payment on the first note described herein.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendants be cited to appear and answer, and that upon a trial it have judgment against the defendants for its debt, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for foreclosure of the vendor's lien upon the land above described and an Order of Sale directing said property be sold and a sufficient amount of the proceeds therefrom be applied to the payment of plaintiff's indebtedness; and for such other and further relief, general and special, in law and in equity that plaintiff may be justly entitled to receive.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

NO. 16

Proposing an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which relates to taxation and revenues, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, directing the Legislature to provide for the construction, operation and maintenance, under State control, of a State system of public highways; providing for an election for the ratification or rejection of amendment herein proposed, and making an appropriation to defray the expense of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That there be submitted to the people of Texas, for ratification or rejection at a special election provided for herein an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending said Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, which shall read as follows:

Section 9a. The Legislature is authorized and directed to provide for the creation, establishment, construction, maintenance and repair of a system of improved highways throughout the State to be under the control of the State; and in order that the State may provide the means, revenues and instrumentalities the establishment and maintenance of such system of highways, the Legislature is empowered to levy and cause to be collected specific excise and ad valorem taxes, in addition of those permitted for other purposes in the Constitution, but such an ad valorem tax shall be imposed only for the purpose of retiring the bonds authorized by vote of the people of this State as provided for hereinafter in this Section.

When said system shall have been designated and taken over for the State as provided in Section A hereof, the Legislature is authorized to make provision for the equitable compensation to such counties for the value of such improvements as have been theretofore constructed by the Counties in the State.

Provided, also that save for the State highway system, in all other respects, Counties shall have the right to build, construct and maintain roads, turnpikes, and bridges within their respective boundaries and the Constitutional provisions relating thereto are not qualified or repealed by reason hereof.

The Legislature, at any Regular or Special Session, is authorized and directed to pass and enact all appropriate legislation necessary to carry out and effectuate the purpose and intent of these Articles.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to cause to be issued his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1923, at which election this amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State for adoption or rejection and shall make the publication required by the Constitution and Laws of the State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State, and the ballots for said election shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the following words:

"OFFICIAL BALLOT": "For the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways."

Those voters who favor such amendment shall erase by marking a line through the words "Against the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." Those who oppose such amendment shall erase by marking a line through them, the words, "For the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways."

And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election.

Sec. 3. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of the amendment and the election to be held hereunder.

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J. K. Hughes of the Developing company in conversation with a reporter Wednesday afternoon stated that their McKie No. 1 the first well to be brought in in the vicinity of Chambers Creek was still making 4,700 barrels per day. Their McKie No. 4 which came in for an initial production of 7,000 barrels Saturday afternoon continued to make 5,000 barrels per day with no sign of an early let up.

In addition to the two producers which the J. K. Hughes Developing company has in this field they now have nine more drilling and one rigging up. The following report was given by Mr. Hughes:

McKie No. 1, making 4,700 barrels of pure pipe line oil.

McKie No. 2, drilling around 1900 feet.

McKie No. 3, setting casings.

McKie No. 4, producing 5,000 barrels per day.

McKie No. 5, drilling plug and is expected to be added to the producing columns by Friday night.

McKie No. 6, drilling at 2150 feet.

McKie No. 7, drilling at 2400 feet.

McKie No. 8, casing has been set and will be drilled in next week.

McKie No. 9, 10 and 11, spudding in.

McKie No. 12 rig up.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

"Snipe" Conley, Dallas twirler turned back Houston sluggers for eight innings but in the ninth they got to him for seven runs and the game, winning, 8 to 1.

Fort Worth went back into first place by defeating Beaumont 6 to 5.

Everyone on the San Antonio team got at least one hit and the Bears broke Shreveport's winning streak by a score of 11 to 8.

Galveston pulled Wichita Falls out of first place, taking a hectic game, 10 to 6.

Brooklyn collected 21 hits, two home runs, three doubles and a triple in the series opener at Philadelphia, winning 15 to 5.

The Giants chalked up their ninth straight victory when they scored seven runs in the eleventh and defeated Boston, 15 to 8.

Pittsburgh made a clean sweep of the four game series with St. Louis, by winning the final game, 6 to 0.

FAREWELL ORDERS

That which is so well known to the officers of the Salvation Army has finally come to Envoy Hopper and family. We have just received a line from our headquarters of the Southwestern division saying we were to say good bye to Mexia on July 8th, 1934, but do not know where we will be stopping. Will know in a few days.—Envoy Hopper.

J. I. Riddle is to leave Friday at noon for the furniture markets of the mid-west. His first stop will be at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Dismissal Of All Indictments To Be Urged by Atty. Gen

INDIANAPOLIS, June 28.—The dismissal of indictments against 127 coal mine operators and 99 leaders of the United Mine Workers will probably be asked by Attorney General Daugherty in the Federal Court. It is announced by Daugherty's office that he plans to ask the dismissal of the charges. Indictments have been hanging over bituminous industry since 1921 as the result of the coal strike of 1919. The government hopes that Daugherty's request will be followed by settlement of the whole bituminous controversy.

Late—Federal Judge Anderson dismissed the criminal conspiracy cases against miners and operators at the request of Daugherty.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish, through the columns of The Daily News, to thank the ball teams of the Lions and Salesmanship clubs for the money they gave us to help out with our Sunday School picnic, and also all others who were so willing to assist us in furnishing refreshments.

And those who furnished conveyances for the trip to the Reunion Grounds, who were as follows: Mr. Jesse McLendon, a car. Mr. John R. Corley, a truck. Mr. Pominto, a truck. Mrs. N. P. Hoax, a car. Mrs. Joe Walker, a car. We cannot express our gratitude and thanks to our many friends who so gladly assisted in making the day's outing one of real joy.

Did we have a good time? Ask the kiddies.—Envoy and Mrs. Hopper.

"JAWN," CIEVER DOG ACTOR

"Jawn" is a clever canine actor appearing in the Paramount picture, "The Go-Getter," produced by the Cosmopolitan Corporation, and which is showing at the National theatre today. "Jawn's" name may not be mentioned in the cast, but he is very much in evidence just the same. A view of the picture will convince you that the little fellow is without an equal when it comes to intelligence. Featured in the cast are T. Roy Barnes, Seena Owen, William Norris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim.

Dorothy Mary Hostetter, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hostetter, celebrated her sixth birthday Tuesday, June 26, by entertaining her little friends of Mexia. The gallery and lawn were prettily decorated with lanterns and red paper streamers. Birthday cake and ice cream cones were served. The cake contained a ring and a thimble. The lucky finders being, Urtha Crutchfield for the ring and Corlton Stanley, Jr., the thimble. After refreshments the little ones played games and marched the Flag Drill by moonlight to victrola music. Those present were: Marguerite Buchanan, Ruth Kirk, Pauline Stanley, Virginia Stanley, Corlton Stanley, Urtha C. Crutchfield, Vota Mae Crutchfield, Margarette Ella Strockey, Curtis Vernon, and Robert Tanner.

Circulation Campaign Rapidly Grows

The Circulation Campaign being put on by The Mexia Daily News is meeting with favorable consideration from the rural districts adjacent to Mexia. Each day brings us many new subscribers and many of our regular subscribers are taking advantage of this opportunity and renewing their subscription. We put this campaign on with the intention of placing our paper in every home in the Mexia Trade Territory and from the ready response we are getting we believe that we are going to be able to increase our rural circulation to a figure that is unequalled by any paper of our size in the country. This campaign will close July 15th and after that date we will go back to the original price.

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ACTOR RISKS LIFE

FLAGGING TRAIN IN "THE GO-GETTER"

Defying death when he flagged an express train traveling at a speed of forty miles an hour, T. Roy Barnes, who plays the featured role of Bill Peck in the Paramount-Cosmopolitan production of "The Go-Getter," which comes to the National theatre Thursday, gave a distinct thrill to Director Griffith and the engine driver of the train, who were seated in the cab.

During the filming of the aeroplane-express train scenes of the picture Mr. Barnes stood between the rails. After alighting from an aeroplane Mr. Barnes soaked his coat in gasoline and, lighting it, takes his place between the rails and waves the flaming garment at the train, which is speeding down upon him. The train thundered along at a distance of twenty yards and still the actor stood in its path wildly waving his blazing torch.

"Get off!" shouted Director Griffith, waving his arms frantically at Barnes, who still maintained his position.

"You're a dead man in another second!"

But Barnes was too cool a hand to allow himself to be ground to pieces. Giving the express a leeway of fifteen feet, Barnes jumped to safety just as the ponderous engine swept by, covering him with dust. The emergency brake had been set by the engine driver and the train came to a halt within fifty yards. The director remonstrated with Barnes for his daring, but the actor merely laughed at the incident.

Seena Owen is featured with Mr. Barnes in this thrilling photoplay, as are also William Norris, Tom Lewis and Louis Wolheim.

PIONEER KILLED BY TRAIN

AMARILLO, Texas, June 28.—John Landergin, 67, pioneer cattleman of this section, was struck and instantly killed by a Santa Fe passenger train here yesterday. Landergin was walking down the track and apparently did not hear the approaching train.

NEW YORK—When detectives arrested two jostlers in a street car the passengers started a near panic. They thought it was a hold-up.

RECORD HEAT IN DALLAS

DALLAS, Texas, June 28.—Heat records for the year were so far broken here yesterday when the thermometer registered 98. The highest temperature reported in the state was recorded in Fort Worth when the mercury climbed to 100.

Mrs. J. H. Redden and daughter, Miss Ellene are leaving today for New York City, for a two months visit with her son, Horace Davis. Much of the time will be spent in a cottage reserved for them at Beechwood, New Jersey.

Mrs. J. H. Dunkin of Ennis is here on a few days visit with her niece, Mrs. Leo McDonald.

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